

SAY GOP MAY DROP FOREIGN AID PROGRAM

Billion Dollar Expenditures Meet Protest

Administration Told Bipartisan Foreign Policy Threatened

By WARREN DUFFEE
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON (AP) — Informed Senate sources said today the Eisenhower administration may abandon its long-term foreign aid plan because of determined congressional opposition.

Chairman Walter F. George (D-Ga.), of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee warned the administration only Friday that bipartisan foreign policy may be threatened if it insists on the long-term aid plan.

The program possibly would cost one billion dollars over a 10-year period. George has been strongly opposed since the idea first was proposed.

THE ADMINISTRATION was understood to be carefully weighing the importance of opposition by George and several other powerful legislators, sources said.

George told newsmen after a meeting with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles that it is "far more important to maintain a bipartisan foreign policy on essential foreign policy matters than to force an issue of long-term commitments."

"I do not favor long term commitments of any form because our program out to remain flexible and Congress should be perfectly free to work on it each year," he said.

Dulles invited George to lunch with him for a talk on general foreign policy. George said foreign aid did not figure prominently in the talk.

GEORGE SAID he doubted the economic stability of Russia to fulfill her expansive promises of huge aid programs for various areas of the world. He said the recent shift in Russian cold war tactics to more emphasis on economic foreign aid is "no reason to be unduly concerned."

George also said the U. S. should not try to outbid the Russians in offering economic aid to neutral nations.

"I can't see the advantage in putting up a neon sign a mile high saying: 'We got it. Come and get it,'" he said.

However, he said he will favor "military aid to our friends everywhere if they will resist" the advance of Communism.

Northern Japan Lashed by Storm

TOYO (AP) — A blizzard lashed northern Japan and surrounding seas for the second consecutive day today. Police reported one fisherman drowned and at least 30 others missing.

Reports from Hokkaido said several cod fishing boats capsized in the storm-whipped seas off the northernmost Japanese island. The hope was held that any of the missing fishermen could have survived.

U.S. Ski Star Injured in Fall

KITZBUHEL, Austria (AP) — Olympic ski star, broke a bone in her neck in a fall today during the Hahnenkamm women's downhill race.

She was taken to a hospital at Salzburg where doctors said she was not critically hurt.

Waste Disposal Employees to Aid in Fly Eradication

As part of a city-wide effort to improve general sanitation conditions before the fly season returns, City Waste Disposal personnel are embarking on a new program to upgrade waste disposal container service, City Manager Peterson announced today.

As they make their collection rounds, Waste Disposal collectors will take special care to replace lids tightly, and will handle containers with the care necessary to avoid bending or denting them.

The Weather

Desert area forecast — Variable high cloudiness today through Sunday with mostly sunny days but considerable cloudiness at times north portion. Little temperature change. Highs 62 to 75 upper valleys, 72 to 83 lower valleys.

High here yesterday was 77, and low was 50.



GORGEOUS LITTLE LADY. Miss Pamela Sheptenko, is pictured above in a color shot taken by her father, Realtor Peter B. Sheptenko. Pamela is eight years of age and in third grade at school. Published here in black and white, the actual photo is in beautiful color. Pamela is attired in her Halloween party dress with the mask that she will wear resting on her forehead.

MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR FINE PHOTOS HERE

Ask your photo dealer how easy it is to enter the first annual desert-wide picture contest sponsored by The Desert Sun and the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce.

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The word accidentally is used with all its meaning because despite expensive equipment the person behind the camera which costs less than \$5 may come up with the best picture of all.

There are many categories in which your picture may well be entered. They are in black and

white, color and color transparencies.

And remember the deadline for all picture entries must be in the hands of The Desert Sun Photo Editor by January 26.

THESE PHOTOS will be judged by the Buck Rogers group of the Camera Dealers and Master Photo Finishers Association in convention here January 30. However, the contestants' pictures will be judged on January 29 at El Mirador hotel where the meeting is to be held.

Get in the picture taking mood. Daddy, there is no better way to spend this weekend than to take Junior out with his camera and take one along yourself. Get that roll of film either in black and white or color, and shoot.

There are prizes galore for the winners in each category and a grand sweepstakes prize offered by The Desert Sun.

TRIBAL COUNCIL SAID AGAINST THEATER PLAN

Plans of A. M. Liebling for developing the 8-acre site where the Agua Caliente bathhouse and Center parking lot is located, may never materialize.

By DON KLOTZBUCHER

The Desert Sun in an exclusive story Thursday revealed that Liebling, president of Mutual Enterprises, Inc., is interested in leasing the parking lot now, and eventually the entire site, for a \$1 million development which would center around a \$400,000 theater.

The story emphasized that no commitment had been made, and yesterday it developed that one never may be finalized.

MRS. VYOLA GLINGER, chairman of the Agua Caliente Tribal Council, via long distance telephone from her Downey home told The Desert Sun that she was positive that the Council would never be interested in a theater development.

"Our main concern now is securing a 99-year lease authorization from Congress," she continued, and a lease for a shorter period of time definitely will not be considered. Efforts to effect enabling legislation will be under-

taken by the Tribal Council again this year, and in following years if necessary, with a 25-year lease not in the picture."

MRS. GLINGER emphasized that no commitment with Liebling had been made, and added that he has never submitted his proposal in writing which is required under Council rules.

Even if he does submit an offer for the parking lot, it might not be considered as the Tribal Council has not requested bids and might desire to extend the current lease for a shorter period of time than a year, Mrs. Glinger continued.

This would leave the entire bathhouse area free for a 99 year lease when, and if, it does materialize, she added.

Navy Seaplane Sets New Mark

ALAMEDA (AP) — The Navy's Philippine Mars Friday established a new seaplane record of 10 hours 37 minutes for a flight from Honolulu to Alameda.

The giant transport, on a regular passenger flight, was aided by 62-knot tailwinds. It was piloted by Lt. Cmdr. William J. Abel of San Lorenzo, Calif.

Truman to Speak in St. Paul Tonight

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Former President Truman will be the key speaker tonight at a banquet honoring Gov. Orville Freeman of Minnesota.

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The Desert Sun invites you to attend the church of your choice tomorrow. For your convenience, church schedules appear today on Page 5.

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Accelerated '55 Chamber Activity Told

Manager Cooper Says Chamber's Work Increasing

By EDITH CARLSON

The year 1955 marked a milestone for the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce. Indicative of the accelerated activity in this important city hub is the increased budget for the current fiscal year from \$68,000 in 1954-55 to \$86,000 in 1955-56.

Expansion in the various departments of the Chamber; publicity, convention and visitors bureau, as well as an increase in the advertising budget of approximately \$4,000, instigated this expanded budget. From the city funds was derived \$12,000 of the difference and the remaining \$6,000 represented an increased revenue from member dues.

However, Chamber Manager Jimmy Cooper commented that this increase will barely meet the activity resulting from the increased flow of visitor inquiries, both in person and by mail and phone, the stepped-up publicity campaign and the added activities of the convention bureau.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, working in cooperation with the Hotel and Apartment House Association, has made it possible for the Hotel Reservations Bureau to be re-established as an independent operation. If the bureau proves successful it will again be housed in the Chamber building when the hoped for building program becomes a reality. Crowded conditions of the present building precludes its location there at the present time.

Upon the resignation at the beginning of the present fiscal year of Ray Corliss who did an exceptional job of intown public relations, it was decided to adopt the present publicity and public relations pattern; that of engaging a

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Refrigerator Burglarized by Thirsty Thieves

Police officers and technicians today are investigating the burglary of an unattended home on Driftwood Road near Mesquite Drive.

Sgt. Bob Young said the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Block at 1130 Driftwood was broken into and apparently a few cans of beer stolen from the icebox.

The burglary investigation started after a swimming pool cleaner noticed that the drapes were pulled and the rear sliding door was open yesterday.

Officers found that the north window had been broken for entry. The Blocks have not yet been contacted, but they are believed to be visiting in Los Angeles.

Postal Delivery Service Started

Postal delivery service in Section 13, south of McCallum Way, will be started Monday, January 16, according to Postmaster Merritt Williams.

The service will also extend to the city offices.

'Mark Monday on Calendar for Blood Bank' is Appeal

"Monday is an important date on your calendar."

Robert Henwood, administrator of Desert Hospital, made this statement today as he urged all villagers to donate blood at the January visit of the Riverside-San Bernardino two county Blood Bank from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Quota is 25 pints of blood, and the quota must be reached, Henwood emphasized.

Last month a record number of residents turned out to donate blood, and the quota must be reached, Henwood emphasized.

Flood Threat Diminishes in State Today

Heavy Rains in Northern California Said Not Serious

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Rains were general today over the recently flooded areas north of San Francisco, but the U. S. Weather Bureau reported the current series of storms would not be as serious as those that brought about the Christmas week disaster.

The Weather Bureau itself during the night charted an intense storm about 1500 miles west of here. This storm, the bureau said, was moving northeastward and offshoots of the storm were striking the Oregon and Northern California coasts at 12 to 24 hour intervals.

"However," the bureau reported, "as these storm fronts reach the coast they appear to be weakening and this series of storms will not be as serious as the ones of Christmas week judging from present indications."

HEAVY RAIN was anticipated in Northern California, however. Fort Bragg received 1.18 inches in six hours early today while in 24 hours Red Bluff had 1.28 inches; Eureka 3.1; San Francisco downtown, .33; Oakland, .44; Sacramento, .65, and Blue Canyon, at 5000 feet elevation, 2.18 inches.

The rains were accompanied by winds up to 32 miles per hour at exposed points on the Northern California coast.

Earlier, the weather bureau had warned of a possible recurrence of the Christmas week floods which killed scores and caused millions of dollars damage in Oregon, California and Nevada.

The U. S. Weather Bureau ordered whole gale warnings posted from Cape Blanco, Ore., to Pt. Reyes, a short distance north of San Francisco.

WEATHER BUREAU spokesmen said the storms formed around the Hawaiian Islands and then suddenly swept northeastward to the West Coast on 70-mile-an-hour winds.

"These storms will cause excessively heavy rains in the northern part of California," the bureau said. "There is probability that the rivers north of Sacramento and San Francisco will reach danger levels."

"This series of storms is similar in many respects to those of Christmas week, but we cannot say that as much rain will fall again," it added. "However, all concerned should be prepared to take necessary action against high water levels."

THE CHRISTMAS WEEK tragedy was California's worst flood disaster.

Still more trouble threatened from the East. The weather bureau at Sacramento said the predicted warm rains in the Sierras were expected to start the snowpack melting again and cause a sharp rise in the river flows.

It said a crest of 67 feet was tentatively predicted for early Monday morning in the Feather River near Yuba City where the Christmas killer flood took at least 33 lives.

HOWEVER, the U. S. Army Engineers in Sacramento said they were not too concerned over the threat. They said the big levee

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SCHOOL SAFETY CAPTAIN Patty Strada, 11-year-old sixth grader at Katherine Finchy School, receives recognition of her fine service from Ray Sorum, president of the Palm Springs Unified School District Board of Education. Presentation was made yesterday at annual awards show. Trophy was donated by Sampson-Curtis company.

SCHOOL SAFETY PRIZES GIVEN TWO WINNERS

Gary Young, captain of the Cahulla school Safety Patrol, and Patty Strada, captain of the Katherine Finchy Patrol, were selected yesterday as the recipients of trophies presented each year by Sampson-Curtis Insurance.

The trophies were presented in a ceremony at Katherine Finchy school, presided over by Ray Sorum, president of the Palm Springs board of education.

Two gold medals were presented to the lieutenants at each school.

14,000 Facing Layoff by Auto Industry's Big 3

DETROIT (AP) — The auto industry's "big three" in a move to maintain the balance between production and demand, has given layoff notices to 14,000 workers, half of them in the Detroit area.

General Motors Corp. said yesterday 3900 workers in plants outside Michigan would be laid off immediately. At the same time, officials of Chrysler Corp. said 1900 hourly rated employees at its Dodge plant here would be laid off beginning Tuesday.

Previous layoffs by Ford Motor Co. and Chrysler including 7000 in the Detroit area, brings the total number of workers affected in the three companies to 14,000.

In each case the layoffs were accompanied by elimination of overtime operations.

13th Child Arrives on Friday, the 13th

CHEBOYGAN, Mich. (AP) — Mrs. George Hansen Jr. had her 13th child Friday the 13th but said she and her husband didn't think it was at all unlucky.

"We're not superstitious," she said.

TV STAR AND VOCALIST TO BE WED HERE TODAY

Gene Evans, star in the TV series "My Friend Flicka," and Patti Powers, 23, former vocalist with the Harry James orchestra, are scheduled to be married late this afternoon in the Village.

Attending the couple will be Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elam. Time of the wedding has not definitely been set as Elam is currently working in a Martin and Lewis picture and cannot leave Hollywood until today's shooting is over.

Evans, 30, and Miss Powers, 23, will honeymoon at the new La Paz.

They were the object of attention yesterday in Los Angeles, when they took out their license on Friday, the 13th.

South Polar Flight Told by Reporter

First Newsmen to Fly Over Bottom of the World

EDITOR NOTE: Newsmen accompanying Admiral Byrd on his Antarctic expedition drew lots to see who should be the first to accompany aerial explorers on a trip over the South Pole. Saul Pett, Associated Press staff man, won the draw. His dispatch follows:

By SAUL PETT

For The Combined American Press
OVER THE SOUTH POLE (Friday, Delayed) (AP) — It is now 7:28 p.m., New Zealand time. A minute ago we were flying south. Without changing course we are now flying north.

Eighteen hundred feet below us lies the precise bottom of the world from which all directions are north. This is the magical 90 degree south latitude—one of the two most exclusive navigational positions on earth. This is the South Pole which men have died in the reaching.

We have just completed a circle of five miles radius. Thus we have flown around the world in five minutes. There are 10 of us aboard the plane—nine base fliers of operation deep freeze and one bug-eyed correspondent. Their boredom is understandable since, for most of the crew of the four-engined Sky-master, this is their second flight over the pole in 11 days. The excitement of this correspondent is equally understandable.

LESS THAN 40 MEN have been here before us. This is only the fifth flight in all history over the pole and I, they tell me, am the first reporter ever to fly over it.

Now what does a good reporter do in such an exclusive spot? He reaches into his book of adjectives for a ringing description on the epic level. This will now be done in one broken-hearted line.

All I can see below, above and to the left and right of our orange-tipped wings is a dirty white blur. This is a whitout—the Antarctic trick of refraction by which light bounces off billions of minute ice particles and results in zero visibility. It is just my luck to strike it now.

"DON'T FEEL BAD," says our colorful but vialutashed TA colorful heavily mustached plane commander, Lt. Col. Hal R. Kolp, Marine pilot from Akron.

"You didn't miss anything. The pole is exactly like the rest of the dull, flat snow-covered plateau we have been flying over all day."

We hit the pole on the return leg of a long, tiring flight of exploration deep into the unknown heartland of the Antarctic. We took off from the base, McMurdo Sound, headed toward Queen Maude Land, reached a point 550 miles beyond the pole at latitude 82 degrees south, longitude 20 degrees east, turned left and headed for the pole on the homeward journey.

PRESS STOPPERS

BULLETIN — Mrs. L. M. Ball of Blue Skies Trailer Park, suffered hip injuries this afternoon when she fell in the 200 block of North Palm Canyon Drive. Her condition is reported good at Desert Hospital.

LOS ANGELES UP — A free-for-all gang battle early today resulted in injuries to nine youths. One had 221 stitches taken in his back, and another had an ear stitched back on. Police rounded up eight others. Three ambulances and 30 policemen answered a dozen phone calls from residents. Weapons included knives, beer can openers and clubs.

WEST LOS ANGELES UP — A \$1,000,000 three alarm fire today roared through two buildings and damaged another, including an aircraft plant, on the West Los Angeles-Culver City line. The blaze fought by firemen from 10 companies, apparently began in the California Foam Rubber Products Inc., building, which was destroyed, firemen said. Graham Aircraft Co. was scorched and was damaged by water, which also resulted in \$4,000 damage at Bac-O-Rite Plastics Inc.

FBI Says Brink Case Completed

11 Indicted for Greatest U.S. Hold-Up

46 Indictments Returned; Two of Men Still Sought

BOSTON — The FBI and state law enforcement officials claimed today to have a "complete case" against the gang that staged the nation's greatest holdup.

Central figure in the government's case was baldish hoodlum Joseph (Specs) O'Keefe, who Friday after six years of silence appeared before the Suffolk County grand jury to "tell all" about the \$1,219,000 Brink's robbery.

As a result of O'Keefe's exact and detailed description of how the Jan. 17, 1950, robbery took place, the grand jury quickly returned indictments against him and 10 others.

There were a total of 46 indictments on armed robbery and conspiracy, carrying maximum penalties of life imprisonment.

Two of the men indicted, Faherty and Richardson, are missing. One of the men, Joseph Banfield, is dead. O'Keefe and Gusciora have been serving time in prison. O'Keefe in Boston and Gusciora in Pittsburgh.

McGinnis, Pino, Baker, Maffie, Gagan and Vincent J. Costa, 41, were arrested Thursday.

Horse Theory

AUSTIN, Tex. — In a booklet on the paleontological history of the horse, author James H. Ginn suggests that Texas ancestors of the horse date back 30,000,000 years. It has been generally believed, the booklet says, that the horse's race history began a little more than 1,000,000 years ago.

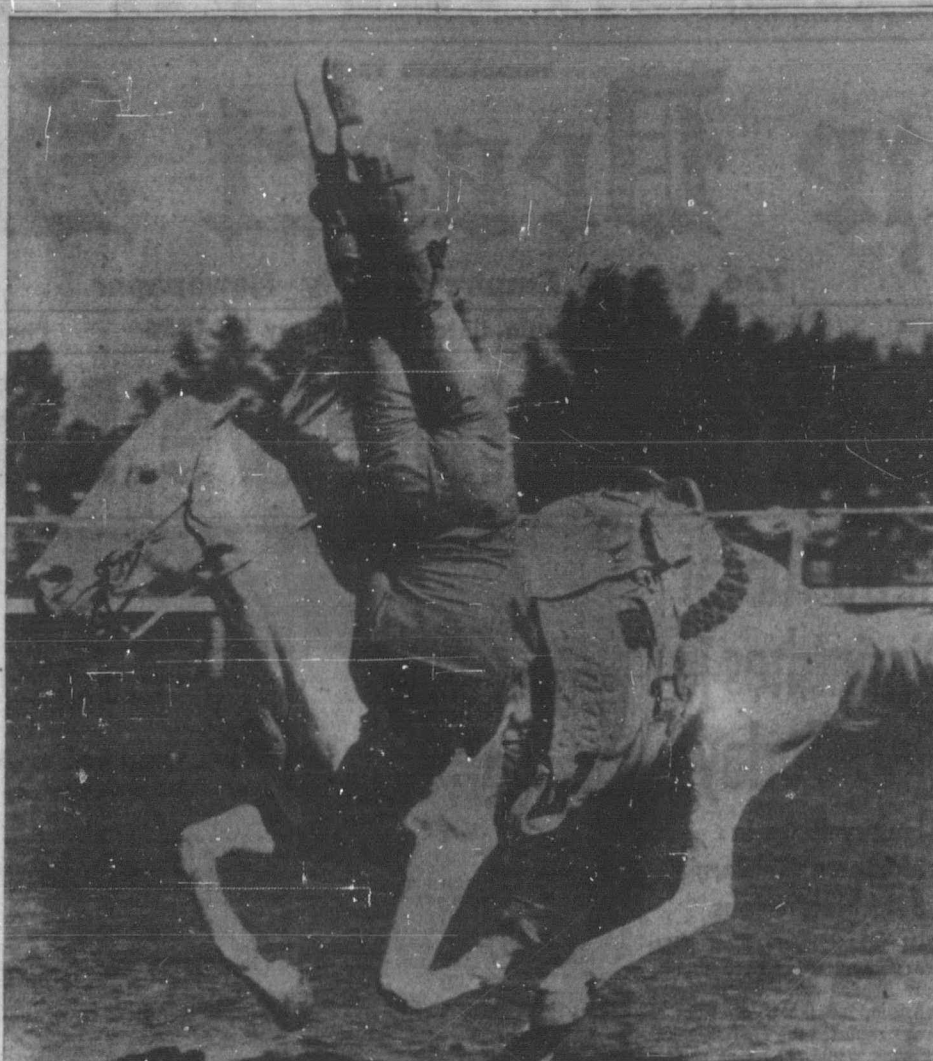
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SHARON LUCAS, beautiful and outstanding trick rider, will be one of the star entertainment attractions at the Palm Springs Rodeo February 4 and 5. The Rodeo is sponsored by the Palm Springs Mounted Police. Miss Lucas

recently was featured in "Blood Alley" and "The Tall Men." Proceeds realized from the Rodeo are used to buy emergency rescue equipment, for the Mounted Police.

Netcher Estate Case is Settled

A \$208,000 settlement has been reached in Los Angeles on alimony claims by Mrs. Gertrude Netcher, 60, first wife of Chicago department store heir Townsend Netcher, against his \$473,800 estate.

Superior Judge Clyde C. Triplett yesterday approved the settlement submitted by Security-First National Bank, executor of the estate.

Netcher died a year ago at the age of 61. Afterward, Mrs. Netcher sought continuation of payments of \$1250 a month for life under an agreement reached at the time of their divorce in 1928.

The settlement will release the 15 million dollar estate left by Netcher's mother, Mrs. Mollie Netcher Newbury, who had guaranteed the alimony payments. Mrs. Netcher lives in New York City.

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Community Church Holds Annual Meeting of Members

The annual meeting of the Congregation of the Community Church of Palm Springs was held Wednesday evening, following a covered dish dinner which was served in the church social hall.

Mrs. Gordon Nicholson was chairman of the arrangements.

The meeting opened with a devotional service at which Dr. John Robertson Macartney, former pastor of the church, brought a short greeting and message. Dr. Blackstone, pastor, then called for reports from various associations and leaders of the various church groups.

Carl Lykken, who has been an officer of the church since its organization in 1917, reported that the church now has a membership of 571 including 79 new members who were received into the church this year.

Other reports were given by the Sunday School Superintendents: Virginia McDonald, Dorothy Normandin, Pauline Smith, Lorna Little, Maybelle Ostberg, David and Helen King; and also by Elmer Young, choir director; Mrs. Beulah Hall, president of the Women's Circle; Mrs. Harry Yesley, Missionary chairman; Harry Yesley, Men's Club president; Skippers Don Macpherson and Frank Little of the Mariner's organization; Rev. Deran Yaylian, assistant pastor, and Rev. B. S. Weatherall, pastor emeritus.

Dr. William Aiken, president of the board of trustees, conducted a short meeting of the corporation at which time Charles McDonald, church treasurer, presented his report.

Free Poland Ship En Route to Italy

NEW YORK — The first non-Communist Polish merchant ship to sail in nearly 10 years leaves New York today for Genoa, Italy, on its maiden voyage.

The ship, named the "Wolna Polka," or Free Poland, is manned by Polish seamen who fled from behind the Iron Curtain. It is to sail under the Liberian flag and will operate for the time being as a tramp steamer without regular ports of call.

Captain of the ship is Jan Cwiklinski, who dramatically renounced command of the Communist Polish liner Batory in 1954 to seek asylum in the West.

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Child Leukemia Victim Dies on Way to Lourdes

NEW YORK — Luis De Alva, five-year-old leukemia victim of Albuquerque, N. M., died at Bellevue Hospital at 10 a.m. EST today a few hours after he arrived here by plane en route to Lourdes, France.

Red Cross authorities said Luis "took a turn for the worse" aboard a Trans World Airline plane. He was taken by ambulance to Bellevue immediately on his arrival at La Guardia Field at 6:30 a.m. EST.

Hospital authorities said Luis died "as a result of leukemia" in the emergency treatment section of Bellevue. His parents, who were taking him to Lourdes to pray for his recovery at the shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, were with him when he died.

A Bellevue official said the parents told him Albuquerque hospital authorities had warned them Luis was a "terminal case" when they decided on the trip to the shrine. They had employed a nurse to accompany them on the trip.

The De Alvas had been scheduled to leave for France by plane at 11:30 a.m. EST. The Lourdes shrine attracts many Catholic pilgrims.

From Page 1—MORE ABOUT FLOODS

break at Shanghai Bend has been plugged to a height of 68 feet and would be even higher by Monday.

The Engineer repair crews have been working around the clock since the pre-Christmas break.

An Army spokesman said the second big break in the levee, near Nicolaus in southern Sutter county was still far from closed.

"But any new outpouring would only flood some 40,000 acres which are still under water from the previous flood," he added.

Ione Thompson to Leave Force

Ione Coble Thompson, secretary at the police department, will complete her 14-year tour of duty tomorrow when she signs out for her last shift.

Mrs. Thompson, who was married to St. Dale Thompson in Alhambra last summer, has been training replacements since her marriage, and now that the office staff is complete, she feels she can retire without leaving the department short-handed.

Her resignation was accepted with regret by all members of the department, except her husband who's glad to have her home.

Rush to Put Ike on Ballots Halts All Opposition

WASHINGTON — The scramble to put President Eisenhower's name in primaries appeared today to be having its intended effect — freezing out other potential candidates while the President's second-term plans remain a mystery.

The presumption is that any potential Republican candidate would be clobbered if he were bold enough to enter a primary against Mr. Eisenhower. Therefore, they will stay away.

This will give the President time to reach his decision.

OTHER POLITICAL developments 1. Sen. Allen J. Ellender (D-La.) said Adlai E. Stevenson is "far ahead" in the race for the Democratic presidential nomination. He predicted Louisiana and the rest of the South will back Stevenson this year if he wins the nomination.

2. Gov. Walter J. Kohler is expected to run as a "favorite son" candidate pledged to Mr. Eisenhower in the Wisconsin Republican primary. Kohler's name is expected to be entered unless the President gives consent to use his by the March 2 filing deadline.

3. DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE 1. Sen. Stevenson attacked the Eisenhower school aid program as "another example of government by political expediency."

4. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Stassen, parents of presidential disarmament adviser Harold Stassen, were the first to sign a petition placing the President's name on the Minnesota primary ballot.

5. Julien G. Sourwine, counsel in the Senate's investigation of Communism in the press, was reported to be considering becoming a candidate for the Senate. Congressional sources said Sourwine, now chief counsel of the Senate internal security subcommittee, is eyeing the Senate seat now held by Sen. Alan Bible (D-Nev.). Bible announced recently he intends to retire from the Senate.

MR. EISENHOWER is generally expected to wait to announce his plans until he hears a final report from his doctors on his recovery from his September heart attack. The report is expected about mid-February.

But by then the deadline will have passed for entering five of the 18 state presidential primaries.

Not in Ireland DUBLIN, Ireland — The United States closed its information and library service here today because it feels that the U.S. has too many friends in Ireland the service no longer is needed.

The only country in South America that does not allow women to vote is Paraguay.

"Desire Under the Elms" by PlayerStage Excellent

See Photo on Page 3
Martin Beck, producer-actor and entrepreneur of PlayerStage, proved last night that handing directorial duties to Bill Milner was the stimulant needed to give "Desire Under the Elms" the professional touch his group of fine actors have lacked in previous productions.

Beck, in relegating directorial duties to Milner, a Cathedral City man with drama experience from movies, television, little theatre and the Indie Date Festival last year, was able to focus his facile talent on his own acting, together with the difficult task of managing to get the opening night curtain to ascend at the American Legion hall, no easy pair of duties.

"DESIRE UNDER the Elms" is at best a showcase for well-directed actors. Its message, though written by Eugene O'Neill with tact and humor, was also written in blood. The audience, living the panorama of greed for security transmitted first to greed for land and then still further to greed for sex, heard the closing lines of a disinterested actor voice their feelings. "Sure is a nice farm, wish I had it."

In spite of the intricacies of plot and characterization, all carried on excellent shoulders of PlayerStage's cast, there weren't more than one or two persons in the audience of more than 100 who really wanted a farm. And not one wanted a son by the father's new wife, even a dead son.

Verkina Beck played the young, third wife of the 76-year-old farmer who first wants a farm, then a lover, then love. Her timing and feeling carried a great part of the drama.

Clay Stearns, the old man with a mystical love for humanity which he received through his cattle and the elms in their sky, gave the play all the strength of character asked for in the role, and more than the play needed.

BECK, AS THE youngest of three sons, gave the production its only bounce. His change of pace seemed inspired by the excellent reception of the heavy fare by the audience. That they weren't afraid to show their appreciation was the main reason for the fine performance of the three starring parts.

PlayerStage newcomers John Thalib and Bob Flick were realistic older brothers, and the delightful square dance scene by six extras maintained the air sought by Milner.

Beck's sets, and the backstage work which never missed a cue, rounded out an entertaining, if ever-rich, evening of theatre.

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This will be one of the current series of special lecture programs or Museum members; all other offerings of the Community Chest sponsored agency are open to the public without charge.

Lewis will discuss the intricacies of weather, with emphasis on the desert climate.

Tonight, starting at 8 p. m., at Frances Stevens school, George ferrill Roy of Palm Desert will peak and show a series of slides in desert geology and mineralogy. It is anticipated that he will include some of his Kodachromes of gate thin sections—slides that reached quite a stir of admiration when shown during a program last year.

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Cashier Ignores Gunman's Threats

CHICAGO (AP)—A would-be bandit tried all kinds of threats at cashier Ruth Schroeder, 36, but none of them bothered her.

"I'll shoot through the plate glass," the gunman said to Miss Schroeder, cashier of a currency exchange. She ignored him.

"I'll shoot this customer," he said, pointing at a man, Miss Schroeder calmly pressed an alarm button.

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OPENING PERFORMANCE of Eugene O'Neill's "Desire Under the Elms" was expertly done by the Palm Springs Players. One of the scenes of the emotion packed drama is pictured above, with cast members being Verklina Beck, Martin Beck and Clay Stearns. The play continues tonight and Sunday and again next weekend.

MENUS

Menu to be served in schools in the Palm Springs Unified School District next week is listed below to aid mothers in avoiding duplication of meals:

Monday—American ravioli, buttered peas and carrots, lettuce wedge with thousand island dressing, whole bread and butter, stewed apricots, milk.

Tuesday—Beef hash, buttered green beans, tossed salad, wheat bread and butter, apple crisp, milk.

Wednesday—Turkey a-la-king, steamed rice, cranberry sauce, buttered corn, hot rolls and butter, lime jello with pear half, milk.

Thursday—Browned beef in gravy, mashed potatoes, spinach with lemon wedge, celery sticks, fruit and cookies, milk.

Friday—Salmon loaf, cubed potatoes, carrot and raisin salad, wheat bread and butter, pineapple upside-down cake, milk.

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Building Permits for City Total \$136,500 for Week

Building permits issued by the city building department for the past week totalled \$136,500, with the largest going to Bus Libott, 1010 Driftwood, for construction of a seven-room dwelling.

Others issued were:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark, 1610 Via Entrada, swimming pool, \$5,000; Rancho Trailer Park, 1563 South Palm Canyon Drive, ramada, \$2,000; Zachary Pitts, 300 Ramon Road, 18 unit dormitory, \$23,000; A. C. Rylee, Sahara Trailer Park, ramada, \$4,000; Dorothy Perry, 1551 Tachevan Drive, addition, \$3,000.

Dallas R. McCauley, 2383 Araby Drive, dwelling, \$17,000; Max Goldman, 520 Via Lola, pool, \$4,000; George Alexander, 1155 Highway 111, pool, \$3,000; George Tucker, 2155 Nicolo Road, dwelling, \$16,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Clarke, 2010 Sandra Road, dwelling, \$21,000; Dr. Albert E. Keates, 2205 Ceritos Road, dwelling, \$11,000; Frank Sale, 385 Vereda del Sur, alterations, \$1,500.

Death Toll in Flood Disaster Now 33

YUBA CITY (AP)—The toll of known dead in the Yuba City flood disaster stood at 33 today with the discovery of the body of Mrs. Bernice Specker Payne, 25, of Yuba City. The body of her daughter, Bernalee, 14-months, was found earlier.

Arthur Godfrey now knows about the climate of Palm Springs. Jimmy Cooper, Chamber of Commerce manager hearing that Godfrey had told listeners that South America was the only place with a warm climate after chiding Florida for its cold spell sent the following telegram to Godfrey:

"Not necessary to go to South America for warm climate. Yesterday was 84 degrees here in America's Foremost Desert Resort, Palm Springs, California."

Bomb Threat Has Kept Peace Rotary Club Told

"Our ability to deliver the A or H bomb anywhere in the world is responsible for what peace we have had since Korea," Capt. Melvin G. Edwards told Rotarians at their meeting here this week.

The public relations officer of the San Bernardino Air Reserve Center explained that "the cost of an adequate standing Air Force would be prohibitive so there is a vital need for a well trained and equipped Air Force Reserve. It is essential to the national defense."

CAPT. EDWARDS explained how vastly improved the Air Reserve program has been under provisions of the Reserve Act of 1952 which provides retirement benefits. There are 85 Air Force training centers in the United States, 17 of which are located in the eight Western states. Four types of training are provided; reserve combat training, navigation training, combat support units and a mobilization assignee program.

Several Palm Springs residents are in the Air Force Reserve and taking training at the San Bernardino Center including Don Miller, Rotary club program chairman who introduced the speaker.

ALSO PRESENT at the meeting this week was Miss Leena Sorvari, University of Redlands student from Finland who is being sponsored by the Palm Springs Rotary Club under the VISA program. She was accompanied by Charles Pierpoint and Martha Gannaway of the Redlands faculty.

Announcement was made by Jim Cavett that the Palm Springs and Palm Desert clubs are sponsoring the formation of a new Rotary club at Cathedral City. The new group is meeting every Monday noon at Wonder Palms hotel. Visitors from the area are invited, he said.

Safety Slogan for School Set

Safety slogan for school children next week is "I never ride double on a bicycle," it was announced today by George Bond, superintendent of transportation for the Palm Springs Unified School District.

Each week a different slogan is set for the students, and they are required to repeat it when boarding buses enroute to or from school.

U.S. Weather

(By UNITED PRESS)
 Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 4:30 a.m.

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Albuquerque	56	35	
Atlanta	44	24	
Bakersfield	61	—	
Boston	61	33	18
Brownsville	70	43	
Chicago	42	23	
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Detroit	35	24	
El Centro	79	51	
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Helena	36	26	
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Miami	58	39	
Minneapolis	30	—	
New Orleans	57	36	
New York	32	29	06
Oakland	59	51	17
Oklahoma City	53	35	
Phoenix	71	45	
Pittsburgh	36	30	
Red Bluff	50	45	126
Salt Lake City	55	32	18
San Francisco	87	52	33
Seattle	45	35	
Stockton	55	52	23
Thermal	74	49	
Tucson	74	42	
Washington	43	31	05
Yuma	78	48	

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 PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA
 Saturday, January 14, 1956

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 179
CERTIFICATE OF DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME
 The undersigned do hereby state and certify that RUBY E. BONES is carrying on and conducting an apartment hotel and bungalow court business at the community of Desert Hot Springs in the County of Riverside, State of California, under the name and style of DESERT HOT SPRINGS BILTMORE, and that her full name and address is as follows:
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 Annie F. Plymire, Executrix of the Estate of Harry L. Plymire, Deceased.
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 On this 7th day of November, 1955, before me, Roy W. Colegate, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared RUBY E. BONES and also ANNIE F. PLYMIRE, Executrix of the Estate of Harry L. Plymire, Deceased, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.
 S/ Roy W. Colegate
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 My Commission Expires May 12, 1956.
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
 In the Matter of CHARLES RICKLAND WICKMAN, a Person Under the Age of Twenty-one Years.
CITATION O SHOW CAUSE WHY CHILD SHOULD NOT BE FREED FROM CUSTODY AND CONTROL OF PARENTS
 THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, TO ROBERT WICKMAN AND HELENA HANNAH (GROSS) WICKMAN:
 You are hereby cited to be and appear in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Riverside, at the courtroom of Department 3, on Friday, the 17th day of February, 1956, at ten o'clock, A. M. of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why CHARLES RICKLAND WICKMAN should not be by this court declared free from the custody and control of yourselves, his father and mother, and for failure to attend as hereinbefore required you will be deemed guilty of contempt of court.
 Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Riverside, this 11th day of January, 1956.
 G. A. PEQUEONAT, Clerk
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EDITOR'S CORNER

by Oliver B. Jaynes

THEY MADE THE NEWS—Time magazine devoted a whole page in this week's issue to two "fascinating people" who are "improbable political candidates" in an "improbable garden" that is one of the wonders of the New World. The article refers to the remarkable development of the Riverside and Imperial Counties and two of the Congressional candidates from the district: Jackie Cochran Odlum of Indio and Judge Salip S. Saund of Westmoreland. The nation's top news weekly saw a good story in these two "unusual candidates" and their "unusual district."

Little wonder that the contest for the post which John Phillips has held so many years has been brought into the national spotlight. As Time points out, only in the United States could such a thing happen; a woman who fought her way up from poverty to fame, and a native of India who became an American citizen only six years ago, becoming candidates for the United States Congress. The political urge of Mrs. Odlum (the Republican) stems from her great admiration of President Eisenhower while Judge Saund (the Democrat), received his inspiration from Woodrow Wilson and Mahatma Gandhi. The careers and their contrasts makes an interesting story and Time has presented it well in brief.

There are, of course, three others who have also signified their intentions of seeking the post, including Herman Reich of Palm Springs. The voters of the district have an interesting campaign to look forward to and the outcome will be watched with unusual interest throughout the country.

In a talk before the Rotary Club here a few weeks ago Congressman John Phillips said that being a Representative in the United States Congress was one of the most important jobs in the world — and that the 29th Congressional District (Riverside and Imperial counties) was the finest district of them all. There are many good reasons for his belief. Add to that the very interesting political campaign in prospect in the district and you have a very potent mixture.

MORE FOOD FOR THOUGHT — In the same issue of Time there appears a two page paid statement by the Moral Re-Armament group with which many Villagers are familiar. It tells about the MRA World Mission of 192 people from 28 nations who are visiting Africa, India and the Middle East. The Mission and the MRA plays have interested great numbers in these countries in the ideology which they believe is the only answer to today's world problems. Leaders in many walks of life in these and many other nations visited by the group have become interested in the idea of remaking nations by remaking men.

The article quotes Admiral Richard Byrd as saying:

"There is on march today a force that can unite men of all colors and races to answer the divisive force of materialism. I refer to Moral Re-Armament... It is a fight that should fire the hearts of all red-blooded Americans and stir their wills to action."

This is a subject that will also interest many readers who feel that Moral Re-Armament is, as its followers believe: "An idea to win the world... in which living, thinking, planning, aims and motives are sincerely inadequate for the crisis which faces humanity... they just do not do what needs to be done."

FLORIDA SUFFERS — The Florida freeze — worst in 30 years — is something tourists will complain about loudly, like the people who left their northern home where it was 60 for sunny Florida where it was 42 on their arrival. I said the Miami Herald brought it upon themselves by predicting it would be 48 at the Rose Bowl and 77 in the Orange Bowl for the games January 2. The weather was just as nice in Pasadena as Miami.

Tourists can get over the cold snap without too much inconvenience but the growers in South Florida will not recover so quickly. Their estimated loss of \$10 million is a severe blow. Tourists can laugh and kid each other about the weather but it's a serious matter to the farmer.

Let's keep our fingers crossed — we've had wonderful weather in Palm Springs this winter. Just as if we didn't always!



PALM SPRINGS HISTORICAL Society, an auxiliary of Welwood Murray Memorial Library, will soon close its list of Charter Members. Anyone interested in acquiring the honor is asked to fill out the sample membership card below, and send or bring it to the Historical Society, in care of the Welwood Murray Memorial Library. Memberships are: Patron, \$100; Sponsor, \$25, Regular \$5.

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POLITICAL INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILE THREAT



THIS SIDE of The Sun

By FRED C. WEIGEL

Newspapermen aren't supermen. Photographers aren't faster. But, readers who think both are true, think also each a monster.

Local residents know their newspapermen, the men who write about their interests in their community. Don Klotzbuecher, city editor of the Sun, and the man whose job it is to keep up with the news in your city; Bill Rashall, Sun columnist and promotion manager who has covered some of the biggest stories of the Desert Empire; and not to be forgotten, R. F. Phat Graettinger, veteran newspaperman of 55 years and executive editor of the Sun. These three men have with the help of their staff, been responsible for some of the really big stories of the past couple of years, but the reader never hears their favorite story about themselves.

PHAT GRAETTINGER, some 15 years ago, was editor of the Ontario Report. He sent a newspaper man on his staff, on an assignment with some city officials, on an airplane trip to Big Bear. Within hours, a report was rushed into the Daily Report office that the plane had crashed in Big Bear Lake. Without a thought as to how the passengers of the plane were, especially his reporter, and nearing a deadline, he screamed, "My gosh (one of the few newspapermen I know who uses this phrase) who is going to write the story!"

And, a little different view of a newsman can be told of Bill Rashall, whose first thought is of speed and second of caution. He was working a murder story, and Los Angeles newsmen were on the job. He had gotten an exclusive picture of the victim, and bids were being made by outside newsmen to buy the shot. Bill had refused all offers. I was with Bill early that morning and the precious film was in our possession, when suddenly he came running from the building and yelled for me "to watch that exposed film with my life." As I turned I saw the meaning of his caution, for between me and the film was a man well-known for "being able to obtain the thing his editor had sent him after" one way or another. Many an exclusive photo or story had shown up first in his newspaper. Regardless of his ability to get news, legally or illegally, he is first, a newspaper man.

I ALWAYS DISLIKE being assigned to an assignment with Don Klotzbuecher, because he is usually over-cautious. The worst example was the time he and I answered a "big butane fire" alarm, jumped into his car and sped through the traffic to the scene of the disaster. We arrived there within minutes after getting the alarm, but he parked so far away that it took several minutes to walk to the scene. Now, I am usually the one who drives.

Newspapermen throughout the state have done things that "have stopped" their superiors in aghast, ie: Aggie Underwood, present city editor of the Herald-Express, returning to the office after being trapped in a forest fire, hit her city editor in the face with a fresh barracuda when he screamed as to where she had been at deadline time.

One of the biggest "good deals" in the newspaper business, is the job of "beatman" for a big daily. There one man covers one beat.

QUOTES FROM THE NEWS

By United Press

MONTREAL — Igor Gouzenko, former cipher clerk who exposed a Soviet spy network in Canada, on the recent destruction by fire of the Russian embassy in Ottawa: "From the newspaper reports and photographs it is clear to me that the secret work has been greatly expanded. For instance, in my time there was no radio transmitter in the embassy."

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower recommending measures in his State of the Union message to aid the nation's farmers: "Our farm people are not sharing as they should in the general prosperity. They alone of all major groups have seen their incomes decline rather than rise. They are caught between two millstones — rising production costs and declining prices."

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — French entertainer Maurice Chevalier in a tape recorded epitaph for French music hall beauty Mistinguett: "I am moved and proud to have been my friend. I feel with great melancholy that nothing can stop the change of time."

PHILADELPHIA — The Very Rev. Canon J. Francis Tucker, chaplain to Prince Rainier III of Monaco, on screen actress Grace Kelly, to whom the prince is engaged: "I think she is a great kid."

all the time, the Federal building, the police, the city hall or Hall of Records, he gets no assignments.

ONE OF THE FUNNIEST stories of a beat-man I know, had to do with a well-known reporter in his early days in the business. He was pretty good at standing at a bar, and usually got quite drunk. One time this drinking bout lasted for three days, and when he finally rushed back to his beat, he was met by the word that "his city desk had been calling." Ready to face that was due him, he called, and as he had expected heard "Where the devil have you been?" Stammering for a quick answer, his delay in answering was rewarded with "... we've been trying to reach you for 20 minutes."

See you next week.

WASHINGTON — House Republican Leader Joseph W. Martin, Jr. (Mass.) on President Eisenhower's State of the Union message ruling out on income tax reduction: "I think there's a chance for a tax cut, provided the proper economic conditions are met and the budget balanced."

PITTSBURGH — James B. Carey president of 44,000 striking International Union of Electrical Workers accusing the Westinghouse Electric Corp. of defying the federal government: "It is now obvious to the government and to the American public as it has long been to the union that Westinghouse seeks only one objective — to starve its strikers into defeat and submission."

PITTSBURGH — Westinghouse Vice President R. D. Blasier rejecting a government proposal to submit issues in the company's strike to a non-binding fact-finding board: "We believe our employees... understand the issues better than any fact-finder who has no personal stake whatsoever in the resolution of these issues."

KEY WEST, Fla. — A Huntsville, Tex. State Prison guard on imposter Fred W. Demara, who also was a guard at the prison: "Everyone liked him, except for his Harvard accent."

PARIS — French Socialist leader Guy Mollet demanding the right to form a new French government with Pierre-Mendes Frances' coalition: "We have agreed that the republic front should demand the responsibility for directing the new government."

NEW YORK — International Boxing Guild President Charley Johnston asked if the managers of the Boxing Guild of New York had voted unanimously to defy the New York State Athletic Commission: "It wasn't unanimous. It was 100 per cent."

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By LICHY



"Tomorrow's our 20th anniversary, dear!... How about inviting over some of the gang to cheer us up?..."

Earl Wilson

NEW YORK — A couple of three years ago in Capri there was a beautiful Greek girl named Irene Papas loitering around the beach, and my Beautiful Wife said I should talk to her — as she would go far.

"No," I said, "I wish to take some pictures of a girl with much more promise, Simone Silva."

Miss Silva is the girl who later did a striptease with Bob Mitchum and has since passed from sight. Miss Papas became the first Greek girl ever signed to a long-term contract by M-G-M and is now in N. Y., telling her life story. I was about as right as I usually am.

Her first picture is a western, "Tribute to a Bad Man."

"A Greek western?" I asked when we met again.

"I'm a Greek girl that goes West," Miss Papas, a tallish, statuesque brunette, said. "It was supposed to be Wyoming, but we shot it in Colorado."

"Who's the guy?"

"Jimmy Cagney."

"Isn't he kind of old for you?"

"I was in love with his soul. Souls are never old."

She tossed this off in such good English that I asked for more. "I been born near Corinth," she said. "I was 4 years on the Greek stage. In Greece we don't sell pictures outside but make our money from the stage."

"You must be pretty old then?" I asked.

"I'm 26 and I don't hide 3 years like everybody else!"

"Are they going to make you into a new Ava Gardner?"

"I don't think they need another Ava Gardner."

Elia Kazan, who is half-Greek

and half-Armenian, and Katina Paxinou are the only Greeks in pictures here, so far as Miss Papas knows — excepting, of course, the Skouras, Kazan and Miss Paxinou both have Oscars and the Skouras have 20th Century-Fox and Cinemascope. Heavens knows what Miss Papas will have.

"Did Hollywood have to fix your looks any?" I asked.

"Why should they fix me?"

"You're perfect?"

"If I were perfect, I'd not be a human being."

Miss Papas was being a little hostile; so I told her she didn't look 26 — she only looked 19.

"What kind of flowers do you like?" she tossed back.

"You're shapelier, too," I said. "Rounder. In Capri you were very slim."

"Well, I ate something since!"

"Your figure is splendid."

"After all," she shrugged, "I can't be proud of any of the things I didn't make."

"What men have you been going out with here?"

"That's personal," she said. "Yes, it is," I admitted.

"If you're asking me as a journalist, I won't tell you, and if you're asking as a person, you're very fresh. If I become a good friend of yours I might tell you, but if you were my friend you wouldn't print it."

Miss Papas also has a word to say about posing for American photographers. "They don't want people," she snorts. "They want forms!"

"DON'T PRINT THAT!" A

It Happened Last Night

B'way producer is charging his show's budget \$400 a month for office space — but he works at home... A recording star plays only his own disks at home, explaining, "I just can't stand anybody but myself."

If Ike runs, the GOP's song may be "My Shining Hour," with the parody, "This Will Be My Eisenhower"...

Blind singer Al Hibbler signs autographs in Braille...

Walter Slezak's sporting a Christmas gift — a Persian lamb beard warmer...

A major ad agency faces an office rebellion 'cause it didn't give any holiday bonuses.

The "I'll Cry Tomorrow" film is bringing back "Lost Weekend" jokes, such as, "I saw the picture and I give it Four Roses"...

Tommy Dorsey's gift to his wife was \$1,000 worth of clothes...

A new female singing quartet calls itself "The Dionnes"...

Red-haired Bethe Douglas, a hit in Europe, is up for a "Ziegfeld Follies" lead.

WISH I'D SAID THAT: "A H'wood old timer," claims Al Fodor, "is one who remembers Jack Oakie's sweatshirt instead of Kim Novak's sweater."

TODAY'S BEST LAUGH: "The psychiatrist who urges parents to spend more time with their children may just be trying to drum up more business." — Quote.

An example of penny-wise and pound-foolish is running out of gas while looking for a parking place with some time left on the meter. That's Earl, brother.

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Robert S. Allen

Washington Report

WASHINGTON — The Kremlin's two "Rover Boys" — Premier Bulganin and Communist boss Khrushchev — are angling for an invitation to come to the U.S.

Unmistakable feelers are being put out on that.

It is being done in a very circuitous and deft manner, but there is no doubt as to the origin and authenticity of the ingenious overtures. They are definitely Moscow-inspired, and for the obvious purpose of sounding out U.S. reactions.

There has been none so far.

Washington has given no hint either way. The idea of such a visit has been "received with interest," but nothing beyond that. The friendly intermediaries have not been encouraged nor discouraged.

The matter will be discussed with Prime Minister Anthony Eden when he comes here next week.

Britain wants the two Kremlin czars to make their scheduled trip. Utmost caution is being exercised by the Eden government to avoid giving them an excuse to cancel.

This policy has full U.S. approval. London and Washington are extremely anxious to have the world's spotlight focused on the two top Soviet rulers under these circumstances. Their British tour will be far different from the others they have made; it will be their greatest test.

Much doubt still exists that Khrushchev and Bulganin will go through with it. It's still believed they will devise some way of ducking out.

Note: Agriculture Secretary Benson has privately told members of Congress that Russia is being sounded out on buying surplus pork and products.

FAR EAST SHOWDOWN — There will be a new crisis over Quemoy and Matsu Islands by early spring. All indications point to Red China launching its long-threatened defense to seize these offshore Nationalist strongholds in March or April.

That's what Secretary Dulles has told the Senate and House foreign affairs committee in private discussions with them. He also disclosed:

There will be no unification election in Vietnam this year. Both the U.S. and Britain are backing Premier Diem, of South Vietnam, in opposing that.

Conditions generally in Southeast Asia are not as good as they were pictured at last month's White House conference with the bi-partisan leaders of Congress.

New plans are under consideration for combating Communism by members of the Southeast Asia defense alliance.

Dulles was closely questioned by both Republican and Democratic committeemen concerning the Far East. Democratic Floor Leader John McCormack, Mass., asked particularly about Burma and Thailand.

"There are some troublesome conditions in these countries," admitted Dulles. "We are not as strong in certain areas as we should be."

Representative Walter Judd (R-Minn.), who visited Formosa last Summer, inquired about that.

"We have numerous reports about the threat of a Communist offensive," said Dulles. "Our best sources indicate a new crisis involving Quemoy and Matsu Islands is likely in the Spring."

"Has there been any change in our policy toward those offshore islands and Formosa?" continued Judd.

"We are constantly re-evaluating our policy concerning them in the light of world developments," Dulles declared. "Such an evaluation is taking place right now."

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TAX FACTS

Save on Your Income Tax

(This is one of a series of articles on federal income tax filing. The articles are based on information provided by the American Institute of Accountants and the California Society of Certified Public Accountants.)

The government provides two forms for individual income tax returns. If you choose the wrong one, you may automatically cut yourself off from many possible tax savings.

The easiest way to file is to use the simple Form 1040A. It's a card the size of a check, which anyone can fill out if he is able to write his name and address and a few other simple facts. You just send it in with your withholding slips and the government takes care of the rest. If you owe more tax than was withheld you will get a bill for the difference. If more was withheld than you owe, you will get a refund check.

The tax rules permit you to use the card form if your gross income consisted only of wages, dividends or interest totalling less than \$5,000, and if you did not have more than \$100 of gross income apart from that listed on your W-2 withholding slips.

Before deciding to use the card Form 1040A, you should consider these facts:

1. Your tax will be figured from a table which allows you a deduction of about 10 per cent of your income instead of itemized deductions for contributions, taxes, interest paid, medical and dental expenses, etc.

2. There is no provision in this form for filing as the "head of a household," as a "surviving spouse," or for claiming special credits for dividends and retirement income.

If you are sure that these two points would not cost you any tax savings, and your income is within the limits for filing a Form 1040A you might as well use this simple card form.

If you decide to use the regular Form 1040, you still have the choice of itemizing your deductions or using a standard deduction which generally amounts to about 10 per cent of your income.

You are likely to save by itemizing your deductions if you:

1. Own real estate.

2. Had unusual medical expense.

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4. Suffered losses from fire, storm, accident, or theft.

5. Made fairly large contributions.

6. Had certain expenses in connection with your work, as explained below.

If you are in business for yourself, you can deduct your reasonable and necessary business expenses on separate Schedule C before arriving at your adjusted gross income on page one of the tax form. This still leaves you the choice of itemizing your other deductions or using the 10 per cent standard deduction.

If you are an outside salesman, the same applies except that you should attach a list instead of separate Schedule C.

Other employees are entitled to a deduction for unreimbursed expenses in connection with their work, but expenses other than those listed below can be deducted only if all deductions are itemized instead of using the 10 per cent standard deduction.

The instructions that come with your tax forms give further information. Help is also available from the Internal Revenue Service, which urges you to consult a properly qualified advisor if you need outside assistance.

Next article: Don't Pay Tax On Wrong Income.

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

HOW DID BARNUM and his lesser-known partner, Bailey, first meet? Well, one of many stories has it that Bailey found a great drawing card for his 1880 tour when one of his elephants, named Hebe, became a mother. Advertising the baby elephant as "the first pachyderm ever born in captivity," Bailey attracted such business that Barnum offered a hundred thousand dollars for the two animals. Bailey not only said "nothing doing" but reproduced Barnum's offer on huge posters in every town on his itinerary.

"That's a man I want on my side," declared the appreciative Barnum — and in 1881, Barnum and Bailey's first combined "Greatest Show on Earth" made its tour.

The spoiled son of a multimillionaire was mightily upset when the girl he adored refused to marry him. So he climbed into his imported automobile and said to the chauffeur, "Drive off a bridge. I'm committing suicide."

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P.T. BARNUM

Loyalty Sunday to be Described at Community

Every Sunday morning at the Community Church Sunday School is held at 9:30 a.m. There are classes for all age groups from the Nursery to the Adults. At 9:30 and 11 duplicate morning worship services are held.

This Sunday will be a special day at the church as it is Loyalty Sunday. Dr. James H. Blackstone Jr., pastor, will present for his sermon message "Who Touched Me?" A cordial welcome is extended to Winter visitors and guests to attend.

At 6:30 p.m., the Christian Endeavor Societies meet — the High School group in the church parlor and the Junior High group in the youth chapel. These groups are growing in attendance and in their devotion to the Lord. All the young people are cordially invited to come and join with these young people in their meetings.

At 7:30 p.m. the evening worship service is held with Merle Hancock as the song leader directing the congregational singing. Rev. J. Edwin Orr is to be the special speaker this Sunday and a cordial invitation is extended to the Winter visitors and guests.

Noted Soprano to be Soloist at Service Sunday

Mme. Trice Grossi, lyric soprano of concert and opera fame, will be guest vocalist at the Church of Religious Science of Palm Springs tomorrow morning at the regular services which are held at El Paseo Theatre at 10:45 a.m. Mme. Grossi, recently of New York and Los Angeles, some months ago became the bride of her erstwhile instructor, Maestro Giovanni Grossi, formerly of the Metropolitan Opera Co.

The Grossis are now residents of the Village and the Maestro is coaching at his residence at 301 Tamarisk Road. Mme. Grossi will sing "The Star," the lyric from a fragment by Plato, and the well-loved Brahms' Lullaby.

Dr. Irma Glen, the minister, will speak on "What Religious Science Does," using as her Bible text First Timothy 1:8. "But we know that the law is good if a man use it lawfully." All are cordially invited to attend.

Bison is the true name of the buffalo. It comes from an old German word, wisent, a first cousin of our buffalo in Europe. The true buffalo is a native of India where he was domesticated, and of Africa, where it is still considered by many the most dangerous of wild game.

CONFIDENT LIVING

By Norman Vincent Peale

The Desire for Esteem

Some time ago I met an amazing man who runs a collection agency. As you know, such an organization takes over uncollected debts from business firms and gets as much money as possible out of the delinquents, usually on a commission basis.

Now I have always thought that people in this business must be of the type of men who get a kind of sadistic pleasure from badgering other people. But I was wrong about this man — and no doubt I've been wrong about most of the others too. For, surprisingly, this collection man told me that he had dedicated his business to God and to helping people.

I suppose I looked startled because he went on to explain his way of doing business. He would call on a man whose account with a department store, let us say, was long overdue and have a talk with him. "This is what you owe," he would say, "so together let's try to find a way to do something about it."

Then the debt-ridden man would begin to explain, perhaps, that he had an extravagant wife, that his children had been ill or that there was a death in the family. "I'm absolutely swamped with bills," was a frequent frustrated explanation. "I have no respect for myself any more, and I know that other people have no respect for me either. I'm sick about it all."

After he had given the unhappy man opportunity to pour out his woes, the collection agent would suggest: "What do you say — let's put the whole matter on the table and pray about it. Let's ask the Lord what to do about these debts."

This would usually so startle the debtor that he would be willing to pray. Then the agent would go on: "Let's see, now. What is your salary? What are your assets, as small as they may be? Let's organize things so that by paying off a little each week you'll ultimately get out from under. We'll get in touch with your creditors and tell them they can expect something regularly — even if it's only a little. Using this system, we can get you out of financial trouble sooner than you think."

The agent grinned at me. "You ought to see the change in a man the minute he begins to pay up. Before long he gets a new self-respect. Seeing an out from his troubles he keeps at it and soon his bills will have been cut by fifty per cent, and he becomes service. Rev. J. Edwin Orr.

Tuesday 8 a.m. Men's Club breakfast. Del Tahquitz hotel. 7:30 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Boards at the church.

Wednesday 10: Women's Prayer Group.

6:30 High School Choir Practice.

7:30 4-C Club for High School Young People.

7:30 Mid-week service of Prayer, Praise and Bible Study. Fellowship hour following.

Thursday 6:30 Dinner meeting for the Ark Mariners (20-35) age group.

3:30 Choraleer Choir practice (Youth Group).

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir practice.

sure then that he'll have them all cleaned up eventually. When there is say only twenty-five percent left he'll start asking if people are beginning to have respect for him again. I can honestly tell him they do, because people always respect a sincere and systematic person who is trying to solve his problems."

Personally I'm always thrilled by people who use their religion in such a practical manner in their daily work, especially those who see in it the opportunity to help persons in need. This collection agent told me, "Every human being has the desire for self-respect and the respect and esteem of others. I like to think I can help restore self-esteem to those who have lost it, and the regard of their fellow men as well."

It is indeed true that one of the deepest desires of human nature is to be well thought of, respected and loved. Whenever you hear anyone say, "I don't care what other people think about me," you can put it down as a foolish and unrealistic statement. We do care profoundly what others think of us. Lincoln, in his first speech to the voters of Sagamon County said, "I have no other ambition so great as that of being truly esteemed by my fellow men."

Nor is the method for gaining esteem a complicated one. An upstate New York farmer — an old friend of mine, had a homey and very sound philosophy of life, together with the gift of simple and potent expression. I was constantly surprised and enlightened by his insights. Once I heard him tell a boy, "To respect yourself and be respected, simply live up to your best." The more you think of it, that bit of advice has the earmark of real wisdom.

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Life to be Topic of Christian Science Sermon

The Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science churches Sunday is on the subject of "Life."

In a Scriptural citation it is related that Caleb, the son of Jephunneh came to Joshua and reminded him of the promise which God had given him at the time of the exodus of the children of Israel, that if he would follow the commands of the Lord, He would bless him. He said, "And now, behold the Lord hath kept me alive, as he said, these forty and five years," and he added, "As yet I am as strong this day as I was in the day that Moses sent me." At the age of eighty-five he was able to say, "As my strength now." (Joshua 14:10, 11).

This Biblical assurance of length of days is spoken of later in the sermon by Mary Baker Eddy in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" when she writes, "The understanding that Life is God, Spirit, lengthens our days by strengthening our trust in the deathless reality of Life, its almightiness and immortality" (p. 487).

The following verse from Psalms (42:8) is the Golden Text: "The Lord will command his loving-kindness in the daytime, and in the night his song shall be with me, and my prayer unto the God of my life."

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BENJAMIN V. DWOSKIN, who will be the speaker Tuesday at the meeting of the Sisterhood of the Palm Springs Jewish Woman's Group.

B. V. Dwoskin to be Speaker

According to Mrs. Saul Ruskin, chairman of the Sisterhood, the newest project of the Palm Springs Jewish Women's Group, Rabbi Leon W. Rosenberg, of Temple Isaiah, was instrumental in bringing Benjamin V. Dwoskin to the 1 p.m. Desert Tea of the Sisterhood on Tuesday.

Dwoskin is director of Mount Sinai Memorial Park and secretary of the Jewish Book Month Committee. He is also a member of the Jewish Historical Society. His lecture which will follow the business meeting is entitled "Jewish Art—Fact or Fiction."

A unique story of Jewish Art and architecture will be told, as it developed from early colonial times to the modern day, illustrated with beautiful full-color slides taken during a 15,000 mile art research trip recently completed for Mt. Sinai Memorial Park by Benjamin Dwoskin.

Holy Communion to be Observed at Two Services

Holy Communion will be celebrated two times at St. Paul's in the Desert Episcopal Church tomorrow, at 8 a.m. and at the family service at 9:15 a.m. Explanations will accompany the service at 9:15, at which time the Junior choir, under the direction of Mrs. Alex Hammond, will sing.

The service of morning prayer will be read at 11 a.m., with a sermon by the rector.

Pastor Resumes Pulpit Sunday

The Rev. Dr. Graham Hunter will resume the pulpit at the Cathedral City Community Church Sunday, following recovery from a brief illness.

E. M. Dering of Palm Springs took the pastor's place last Sunday.

The annual congregational meeting will be on Wednesday, immediately after the potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. Officers will be elected, and reports will be given by societies and committees. The new officers will be inducted into office the following Sunday January 22, at 11 a.m.

Timber wolves are getting fewer all the time, Wisconsin game experts report. They paid bounties on only 55 of the animals between 1933 and 1955.

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CHURCH SCHEDULES

(EDITOR'S NOTE: All churches are invited to submit their services for inclusion in this column, to be published every Saturday.)

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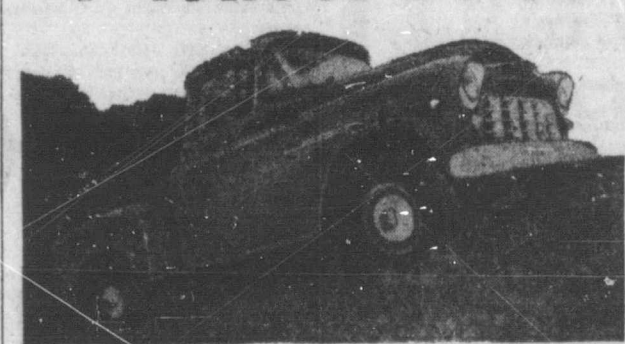
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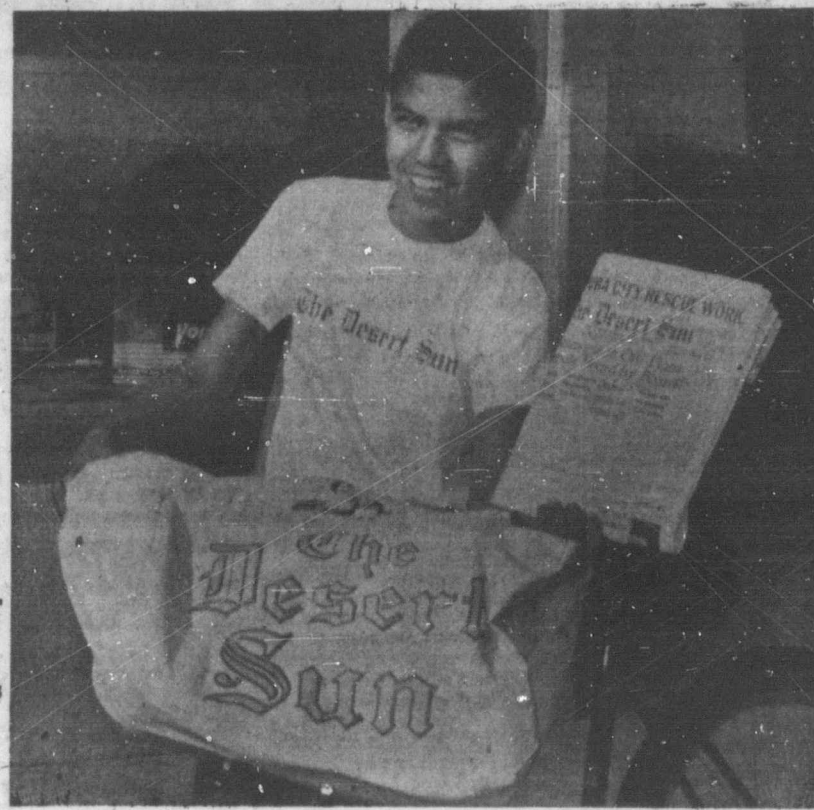
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ARDENT HORSEBACK RIDERS, Howard and Kay Morris often stop by the Oasis Hotel for a luncheon in the sunshiny diningroom, overlooking the gardens and pool. Here they are talking over the plans for their new home in the Deep Well section, which is almost completed. Although it is not completely furnished yet, a few friends surprised them last evening with a "kitchen party" on the occasion of their 16th anniversary.



(Doll House Photo) **ANDY** of the world famous Amos and Andy team, perennial favorites of radio and TV, Charles Correll, and his charming wife were photographed as they were enjoying the cuisine at the Doll House.

Social and Club CALENDAR

(Clubs and organizations are invited to call in calendar dates to 5005).

January 15
Los Compadres lunch ride, leave clubhouse 9:30 a.m.

January 16
Invitational Preview Performance, Palm Springs Playhouse, 7:30 p.m. Sponsor's Ball, El Mirador, 10 p.m.
Inter-School Club Dinner, Chi Chi, 8 p.m.
P. S. Civic Chorus, Cahulla School, 7:30 p.m.
P. S. Business Women's Club, Flame Restaurant, 7:30 p.m.

January 17
Desert Riders breakfast ride, 9 a.m.
Sociologists, Chi Chi, noon
Kiwanis, Saddle & Siroin, noon
Cahuilla P.T. A. at school, 8 p.m.
P.E.O. Sisterhood, 349 Via Altamira, 7:15 p.m.

January 18
Rotary, Tennis Club, noon
Rotary Anns, Tennis Club noon
P. S. Optimists, Ranch Club, noon
Welfare and Friendly Aid luncheon, Deep Well, 12:30 p.m.

January 19
Lions, Chi Chi, noon
Elks Lodge, 8 p.m.
Los Compadres Box Social, clubhouse, 6 p.m.

January 20
Anniversary Party, Ranch Club

January 21
Marusia fashion luncheon, Tennis Club, 12:30 p.m.
Golden Nugget Ball, Tennis Club, 7 p.m.
Desert Chapter No. 150 R.A.M., installation, Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.

Organist in Concert at Redlands

REDLANDS — Robert Elmore, organist-composer, will be heard in concert at the University of Redlands Memorial Chapel Monday, Jan. 16, at 8:15 p. m.

The Elmore concert will be in three sections, and will open with "Allegro" (Sonata in F. Sharp Minor) by de la Tombelle, and include "Rejoice Greatly, O My Soul," by Kauffmann; "Christ Lay in Bonds of Death," by Back; and "Prelude and Fugue in A minor," by Back. Elmore will perform his own "Suite in Rhythm" as the second portion of the concert. Following intermission he will play a series of four numbers starting with "Concertstueck in the form of a Polonaise" by Lemare; "Speranza" (Hope) by Yon; "Scherzo in G Minor" by Rossi; and "Hymn of Glory" by Yon.

As a composer of brilliance and power Elmore is becoming more widely known with each new successful composition. His opera, "It Began at Breakfast," has the



(Anderson Photo) **VACATIONING** at the Tennis Club and photographed by the famed oval swimming pool are Mr. and Mrs. Michael Finnell of Pasadena and Calgary, Canada.

Ranch Club Plans Anniversary Party

Noel Clarke is planning a First Anniversary Party at the Palm Springs Ranch Club, to celebrate his first year of operation.

The party will be held next Friday night, with a special anniversary dinner, entertainment, music and favors.

New Owners

Dining together at Town and Country restaurant on Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Volke and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guerrier.

The Guerriers, who come here from South Laguna Beach, have just purchased the Desert House on South Cahuilla Road from the Volkes.

distinction of being the first American opera to be televised.

He is presently organist and choir-master at the Central Moravian Church of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and was formerly organist and director of music at the Holy Trinity Church of Philadelphia for 17 years. He heads the organ department at Clarke Conservatory of Music in Philadelphia, and conducts the Choral Club of the Musical Art Society of Camden, New Jersey.

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Singing Program for Club

The program committee of Palm Springs Woman's Club promises a most enjoyable afternoon of entertainment, Monday, January 16 at 2 p. m. when Flora Fiese, soprano, and Ed Hennessy, tenor, will present an hour of song and fun which they call "Laughing, Singing America."

These two charming comedians of song are known for their ability to bring laughter as well as music which everyone will enjoy.

Mrs. Robert Backstrom, chairman of the tea committee, will be assisted by Mmes. Keith Herbert, Russell Parsons, Marvin Sale, William C. Tackett, E. F. Walker, Walter Yeaton, Gordon Zander and Walter Adams.

The second of the popular Desert parties was held Monday, January 9 and 150 members and guests enjoyed an afternoon of cards in the friendly atmosphere of the clubhouse. The hospitality committee acted as hostesses for this successful affair.

The interest of the members of the club is centered now on the success of the Annual Fashion Show, "Viva Palm Springs" will be presented Friday, January 27 at 9:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. at the clubhouse, 314 South Cahuilla Road. The funds from this benefit will be used to send some local High School student to college.

At La Quinta
Among new arrivals at La Quinta Hotel are: Laurie Olson of Dallas Oil; Mrs. I. W. Hellman, of San Francisco, director of Wells Fargo, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Tuberg, MGM writer-producer.

MR. AND MRS. LELAND Offer of Beverly Hills recently spent a few days as guests at the Oasis hotel. Mr. Offer is vice-president of the Budget Finance Company of Los Angeles.

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Los Compadres Plan Lunch Ride

Tomorrow Los Compadres will have a lunch ride to Bill and Mary Allred's ranch on Clancy Lane, which is across the wash from the Desert Air Hotel. Because of the length of the ride, the riders will meet at the clubhouse at 9:30 a.m.

The chuckwagon will be at Allreds' at noon.

Birthday Feted with Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fry honored their daughter Donna, Saturday on her 18th birthday with a surprise dinner party at their home at 1131 Driftwood Drive.

The guests arrived early in the evening for the dinner which was topped with a birthday cake. Going to the theatre later to see a movie furnished the evening's entertainment. Guests were Dick Shinee, Mike Daley, Sue Rolapp, Mary McLaughlin and Moira Henderson.

SATURDAY AND Sunday guests at the Sal Alessandro home are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fortunato and children Anthony and Jerry Jr. and Mrs. Fortunato's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fortunato from Cleveland, Ohio. The latter couple came here recently for a few weeks visit with their son and family, formerly of the Village now living in Los Angeles.

Desert Riders Ride Tuesday

Desert Riders will have a breakfast meeting on Tuesday at 9 a.m. at the cove immediately north of Sunny Cove.

The Riders are currently conducting a name contest for the cove, which is called Keta's Kory Kove in the announcement. Leading contenders are "Jubilee Cove" and "Canyon Cove."

Members should call Jack Boyer at 6616 for reservations for the Tuesday breakfast.

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FINAL ARRANGEMENTS for the Third Annual Sponsors Ball to be given January 16 in El Mirador Hotel, are being made by, left to right, Mrs. Charles Farrell, Mrs. George Robinson, Mrs. John Lucareni and Mrs. Henry Dollard, chairman of the Sponsors Ball. The Ball will follow the preview performance of "Oh, Men! Oh, Women!" opening in the Palm Springs Playhouse Theater.

Around 400 Expected at Third Annual Sponsors Ball

Third Annual Sponsor Ball, given each year by the Playhouse Guild, will be held Monday night in El Mirador Hotel with a large attendance expected. Guests, made up of an invited list, will first attend the preview performance of Herb Rogers' production of "Oh, Men! Oh, Women!" in the Palm Springs Playhouse.

Tables for the supper dance will again be decorated by Ruth Allen, who did the centerpieces for the Edith Small fashion show in the same locale on November 22. Many of those floral arrangements, which were of an everlasting type, were awarded the hostesses of each table and were taken to homes to be used for Thanksgiving decorations. It is suggested the same method of awarding the colorful bouquets at the Sponsors' Ball will be followed.

A group of near 400 is expected on Monday night. Among those having made up parties recently are: Mr. and Mrs. John Lucareni, who will have at their table Mayor and Mrs. Florian Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schallert, Christy Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beck, Marian Walters, Michael Ferrell, Jess Barker, Herb Rogers, Sidney Breese and Mrs. Stewart Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ballinger will have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne Dent and Mrs. Arthur Bumiller. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coffey are to preside at a no host table consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Canby, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams, Dr. and Mrs. William Elliott and Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Brown. Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Warren will have Messrs. and Mrs. Max Schwab, Edwin Larsen and M. A.

Relatives Here from Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Le Voe of Cathedral City were pleasantly surprised when relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wolfe, of Vancouver, B. C. called on them this week. The visitors are guests at the La Fonda and plan to be here for three months. Since their arrival the Le Voes are busy entertaining their guests and showing them the sights of the desert. After their visit here Mr. Wolfe will leave for New York and then to London, England in the interests of a shipping firm with which he is connected. Mrs. Wolfe will return to Vancouver from here.

MR. AND MRS. DANNY Richards and children arrived here from Santa Barbara to make a weekend visit with Mrs. Richards' mother, Mary Ann Field. The Richards family is enroute to Tucson, Arizona where they plan to make their future home.

St. Theresa Plans Potluck Dinner

St. Theresa's Mother's Club had their monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the parish hall, with Mrs. Tani Boyle, president of the club, presiding. Plans were completed for a pot-luck dinner to be held on the January 17 in the St. Theresa's dining rooms.

The Rummage sale sponsored by the club was reported as a great success. Mrs. McIntyre was in charge of the sale. At Christmas time the club presented the nuns of the parish convent with a beautiful Westminster chimes clock. Acknowledgement of the gift was made by the nuns at this meeting. Sixty-five members of the club were in attendance. Due to a change in the usual first Wednesday of the month meeting date the social hour was omitted.

MRS. F. P. CLATWORTHY and daughter Miss Helen Clatworthy of Estes Park, Colorado, are in their winter home at 698 West Ramon for the season.

Around Town

with Hildy Crawford

About the only thing that hasn't come out with a jewel trim is a Palm Springs building... Sweaters and dresses, gloves and hose... handbags and hats... and all kinds of gadgets from fly swatters to bottleopeners... are gem crusted these days... Bud Graves even has bejeweled murals on the walls around their swimming pool... The glitter glamour is as nice a contrast to the sandy sweep of the desert sky... It's just one of the many things that make... Palm Springs such a fascinating place...

The Martin Melchers (she is Doris Day) are expected back at Desert Inn this weekend... and the Danny Thomases will be joining them... Mrs. Francis P. Old, wife of Vice Admiral Old, arrived in Palm Springs on Thursday... for an indefinite stay with Commander and Mrs. Maurice Horner... Other Navy guests, Rear Admiral and Mrs. A. B. Vosseller and Captain and Mrs. Donald L. Mills will arrive on Thursday... The men are coming to attend the Navy Commandery dinner at the Racquet Club next Saturday night... Holmes and Virginia Tuttle of Los Angeles... arrive tomorrow to spend several months at the Racquet Club...

On Tuesday Bettye and Monte Herbert are driving to Las Vegas... where they will be guests of Nan and Frankie Laine... at Frankie's opening at Wilbur Clarke's Desert Inn... This will be a quickie trip for the Herberts... as they are fitting it into a crowded week... which opens with the Sponsors Ball and ends with the Golden Nugget Ball... Ed and Bertha Robbin have issued invitations for cocktails and dinner next Friday night... Cocktails will be at their home at 1120 East Alejo... with dinner at the Tennis Club...

Bill Powell was the gracious host at an otherwise all-woman dinner party at the Racquet Club Thursday evening... His guests were his mother-in-law Mrs. J. C. Lewis sr., his sister-in-law Maxine Lewis, who is from Las Vegas... Mrs. Fred Brisson (Rosalind Russell) and her sister Mrs. Chet La Roche... Missing from the scene was Mousie (Bill's wife) who was in India on jury duty... This is Mousie's second term of jury duty in three years... With so many Thunderbird members up in Pebble Beach...

Sydney O. (Betty) Noles, who is co-chairman for the March of Dimes here... has a brother-in-law Dr. Omar Noles, who is chairman of the Portland March of Dimes... Betty and her co-chairman Virginia Curtis, were just appointed this week... but they are hard at work... and can be counted on for a whirlwind finish...

They are batten down the storm cellar doors out at La Paz... It seems that Eloise... who wreaks such havoc, emotional and otherwise, in a Gotham hotel, may be heading for here... Marge and Gower Champion, who are at La Paz now... placed a long distance call to Kay Thompson (Eloise's creator) in New York from the pool at La Paz the other afternoon... and the sleepy Gower picked up the bedside telephone at 2:30 the next morning to find it was Kay... Kay's opening gambit was "Darling, you sound sun tanned"... That time difference can be brutal at this end... Kay who is currently at the Plaza in Gotham... says she is now merely "Eloise's" governess... The precocious little city dweller has gone through three printings and has been recorded in album form... "Eloise Goes Abroad" is next on the list... but Kay expects to be back on the West Coast in several weeks and plans to join Marge and Gower for a few days at La Paz... That's why they are flying storm signals...

DR. ROBERT RUTHERFORD, assistant dean of U. S. C. Dental College, Dr. Darryl Kaplan and Dr. Sumner Saul, all of Los Angeles, spent three days as guests at the Vista Del Sol this past week.

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YOUTH CENTER AWARD for the best ping-pong player of December is made by Carol Clapp, left, to Brent Davis. Mrs. Ynez Plate, co-director of the Community Chest-sponsored Center, holds perpetual Shrine Club trophy which will bear names of high point winners in three-event competition. Carol is secretary of the Youth Center. Awards were later presented to David Fox, Roger Burton, Joe Jones and Arnie Ruiz.

Western Air Turns Down Union Offer

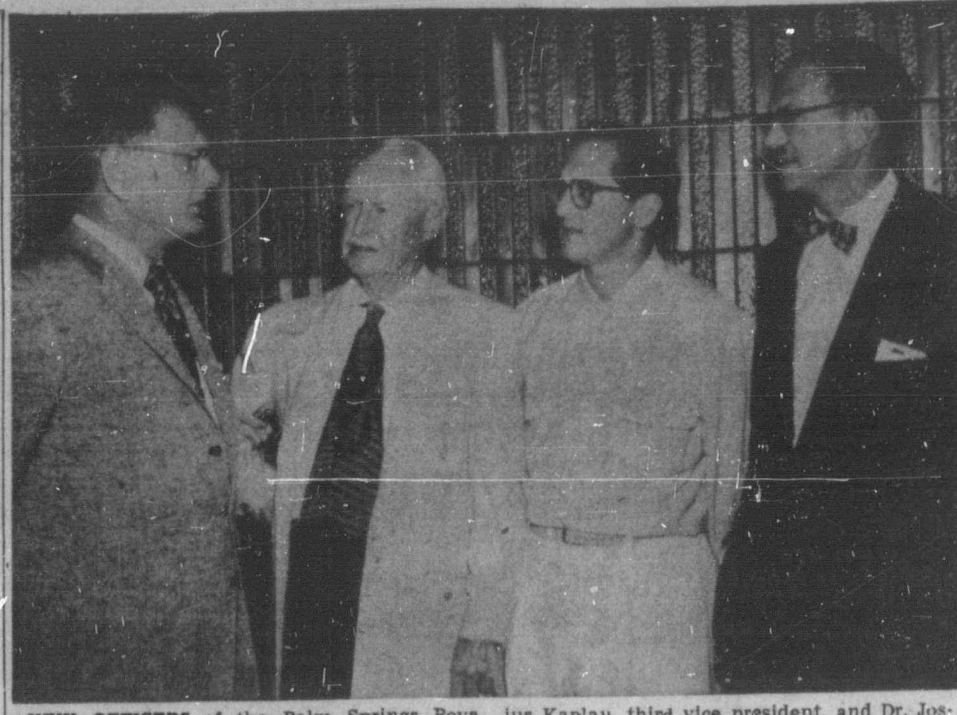
Relies on National Mediation Board Service in Strike

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Western Air Lines has turned down a bid by the AFL Central Labor Council to meet with union officials in an effort to settle a strike which has forced closing of the company's operations.

Western, in refusing yesterday to huddle with the union, said it "intends to continue efforts to settle these disputes, but by relying on the services of the National Mediation Board as provided for in the Railway Labor Act."

The company said it felt "no useful purpose would be served in airing these disputes before the labor council."

Some 850 clerks and baggage handlers walked out Monday in a dispute over wages and a union shop. The pilots are considering strike action.



NEW OFFICERS of the Palm Springs Boys Club, a Community Chest supported agency, are, left to right, Walter Cowan, president; Raymond Cree, second vice president; Dr. Julius Kaplan, third vice president, and Dr. Joseph Sage, secretary. Not pictured, Charles McFarlane, first vice president; Henry White, treasurer.

4 Wives and 19 Children—Jailed

WILMINGTON, Calif. (AP)—A 53-year-old salesman, who reportedly has four wives and 19 children, was held in jail today on a fugitive warrant issued at Salt Lake City, sheriff's deputies reported.

The salesman, David Brigham Darger, was taken into custody at a Wilmington home where he was living with Virginia Beth McDaniel, 40, an expectant mother, and their eight children, deputies said.

Deputies said Darger admitted having three other wives and 11 children in Salt Lake City.



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PORT WASHINGTON, Wis. (AP)—Susie Canner, 13, got a lot of free recruiting folders from the Army when she answered a television invitation to write for information. Her brother, Mark, whose name she sent in, got an invitation to join the Army. But Mark told the recruiting officer who called on him that his mother wouldn't let him join.

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Monthly Awards Night Held at Youth Center This Week

Awards presentation to boys at the Youth Center on Belardo Road this week was followed by a meeting of officers of the Center.

The awards were made to the winners of the December ping-pong, pool, and paddle-pool tournaments. Boys who win three consecutive monthly tournaments have their name inscribed on the Palm Springs Shrine Club's perpetual trophy.

The Shrine Club's award cup for December ping-pong was presented to Brent Davis. David Fox was runner-up, and Arnie Ruiz was third.

SHRINER'S AWARD for December pool went to Fox. Davis was second in competition, followed by Roger Burton.

Fox won the Shrine paddle-pool award also, with Burton and Joe Jones following him in that order.

Fox's wins made him the winner of the month which entitled him to the perpetual trophy recognition by virtue of the number of points he scored in various competitions.

DURING the necessarily short officers meeting following the presentation, decision was made to

draw up constitutional papers and by-laws, for the formation of a senior high school club similar to the presently operative junior high school's Friday Nighters.

The latter club holds dances once or twice a month at the Youth Center.

IN OTHER YOUTH Center action, officers of the center underwent a change.

Malinda Hough took over as corresponding secretary, following the resignation of Mavis Larkin. Brent Davis was appointed chairman of the activities committee, and also as a member of the building committee. Arnie Ruiz, vice-president of the Center, was also appointed to building committee membership.

They will confer with director Carl Plate, who in turn will relay suggestions to the adult building committee.

Before the meeting was adjourned by Lloyd Brubaker, president of the Youth Center, the next session was set for 8 p.m., February 2, and secretary Carol Clapp and Corresponding Secretary Malinda Hough were directed to work with Brubaker on the constitution of the proposed organization.

Satellite to be Launched from Secret Missile Base

COCOA BEACH, Fla. (AP)—The first man-made moon to be launched from the guided missile test center near here next year will be just another "bird" to the residents of this ocean-side area. For more than five years, the coastline "crackers" from Titusville southward to Melbourne have been conditioned to the mysterious "thumps" and flashes that come at any time, day or night, from around Cape Canaveral.

It is the launching site for the nation's most secret weapons, guided missiles, commonly referred to as "the birds."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT from Washington yesterday that the guided missile test center near the Patrick Air Force Base would be the launching point for "project vanguard" came as no surprise. "It's been sort of an official rumor" around here for more than two months," Carl Collins, manager of Cocoa radio station WKKO said.

City boosters in all the small towns dotting the area said they were "delighted" that a major part of the satellite project will be conducted here.

The federal government has spent 192-million dollars so far on the missile test center and the range that stretches through the Bahamas to Puerto Rico and beyond toward Africa.

IN FIVE YEARS the population of every little community has more than doubled. Residents do not worry about rockets buzzing overhead. Their chief concern is providing water for the thousands more that the satellite project will bring.

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LOS ANGELES (AP)—The annual bill for cleaning up motorists' roadside litter in Los Angeles, Orange and Ventura counties totals \$5,000,000 State Division of Highways officials estimated today.

Plane Downed by Angry Wolf

TOWER, Minn. (AP)—Two young fliers said today a fighting female timber wolf they were trying to frighten leaped up in the air yesterday and pulled their plane down on the ice.

Jack Burgess said the pugnacious wolf snapped her jaws onto one of the light plane's skis and her 100-pound weight caused it to crash. Neither Burgess nor his companion, Richard Liya, were injured but the wolf was killed.

Burgess said he and Liya were flying over Putnam Lake about six miles north of here when they saw the female and her mate on the snow-covered ice. They dropped down to "buzz" the wolves, he said, thinking the animals would panic and run.

Instead, when the plane was four or five feet above the ice the wolf snarled and leaped at the craft. It went another 50 feet before nosing over.

Burgess and Liya said they stayed in the wreckage for several minutes because the male wolf continued to menace them. They finally chased him away with an axe.

Then they built fires to attract search planes and had to use them to dry out after they fell through thin ice near the shore.

"We spent the next couple of hours before we were rescued drying out and watching for stray wolves," Burgess said.

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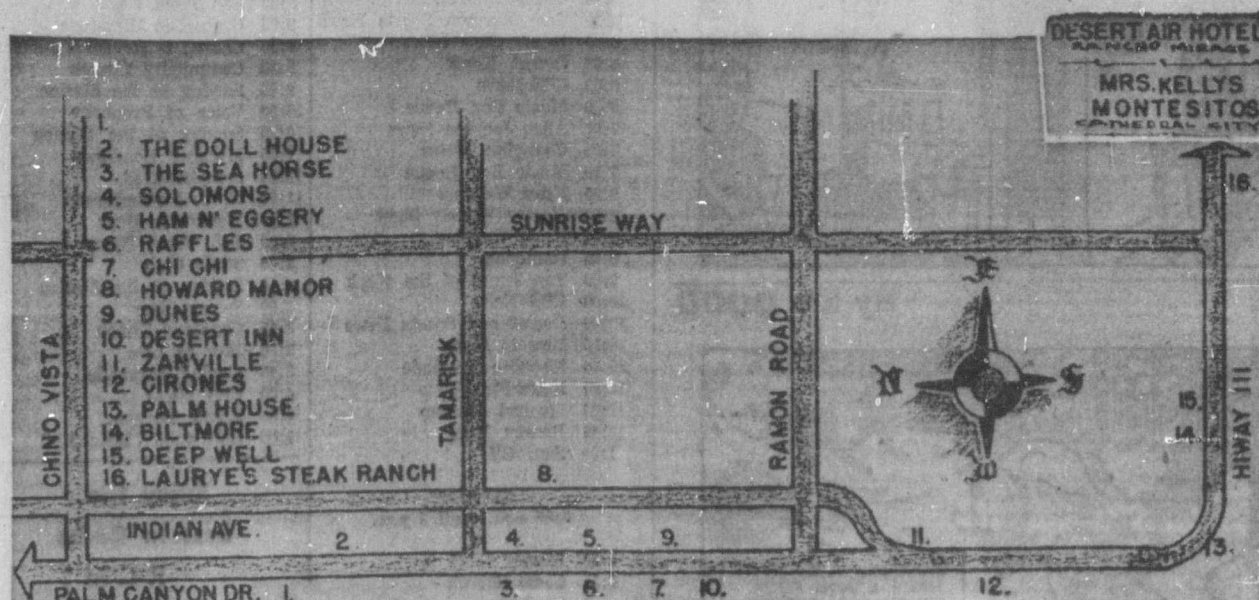
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NEW YORK — Fearless Fraley's Facts and Figures:
The NCAA obviously is determined to kill off all basketball opposition and it has taken two questionable steps closer to its hoped for monopoly.

First it scheduled a small college tournament in competition to the long-established NAIA tournament at Kansas City, which has been operating 15 years.

It also ignored a lot of other conference winners and balloted an automatic tournament berth to the winner of the rag-tag California Basketball Association. The reason: To be sure that red-hot San Francisco would be in the NCAA this year - even if the organization is stuck in the future.

TRYING TO RUN the NIT out of business, which may be upheld on the grounds that it is a Madison Square Garden profit-making scheme, the NCAA previously ruled that a team may not play in more than one post-season tournament. But picking on the long established and well-operated NAIA and making a bald-faced bid for San Francisco smacks of power politics.

A yearling filly training at Hialeah Park has one of the better names of the turf year. She is Red Ridinghood, out of a mare named Wolf Bait. . . and if she doesn't do well they both may be.

National Open champ Jack Fleck, amateur champion Harvie Ward, Byron Nelson and Ken Venturi will play a match in San Francisco next Saturday for Northern California flood relief. Sports fans everywhere are asked to be "absentee galleries" and forward donations for the needy to "Golf For Flood Relief," care of the San Francisco Chronicle.

OKLAHOMA A & M is favored to retain the NCAA wrestling championship this year with the Eastern Intercollegiate wide open among Pitt, Penn State, Lehigh and dark horse Syracuse. . . and if you think things are tough on the mat, you're right. Lehigh Coach Gerry Leeman still wears the wrestling shoes he used in the 1948 Olympics.

At long last, Jesse James has been robbed.

That's the name of a Birmingham guard, who played 24 international matches for England, who has been dropped from the squad for the first international basketball match with Spain Feb. 7. Where the original Jesse made light with other people's pounds, this Jesse is too heavy on his own.

Indians Cs Trim Banning 36-27

Palm Springs C basketball team journeyed to Banning Wednesday afternoon and when the final buzzer sounded had a 36-27 victory under their belts. High scorer for the Indians was Joe Lewis who bucketed 16 points.

Palm Springs trailed at the intermission, but a 15 point third period surge put them in the lead to stay. It was the first victory of the year for the local C squad and didn't come easy.

Next Thursday they play Beaumont.

(36) Palm Springs Banning (27)
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Change Made in Polo at SMC

A last minute change in line-ups at Shadow Mountain Stables early today cost the matches there this weekend one team for competition.

Tony Veen, Allen Scherer, and Tod Helsler contacted the Stables to say they wouldn't be able to play.

A three-team round robin had been scheduled for today and tomorrow, but the three players staying out required that a two-team medal match be played to-day instead. Ted Pierce, match and tournament director, announced and added that the dual-matches will start tomorrow at 2 p.m.

BOWLING

Palm Springs Ladies Bowling league started off its new year with high-score bowling last night at the Bowling Academy on North Palm Canyon Drive when the L A Towel team took both series and game honors with scores of 2478 and 683 respectively.

Team medal scores were as follows:

L. A. Towel 3
Viking Liquor 1

Bowling Academy 4
Center Beauty Salon 0

Desert Hot Springs Rotary 4
Desert Hot Springs Sentinel 0

Indians Win Thriller from Elisnore 57-55

Local Squad in Five-Way Tie for Lead

Hang on to Game Despite Late Rally by Determined Foe

The Palm Springs basketballers last night moved into a five-way tie for first place in the Riverside County League by edging out Elisnore, 57-55, while Banning and Coachella were knocking off the highly favored San Jacinto and Hemet fives. This action put Palm Springs, Coachella, Beaumont, Hemet, and San Jacinto at the top of the League standings with a two won, one lost record.

The Indians too, narrowly missed being upset, as Elisnore made a second half comeback to erase a previous 16 point deficit and tie up the game at 44-44. Through terrific clutch playing by Mickey Pellum, Palm Springs was able to stave off the Tiger threat and come away with the important victory.

COACH RALPH WATT's warriors jumped off to a 15-11 first period lead and then scored 16 straight second quarter points before Elisnore was able to connect for a bucket at the end of the half.

The Palm Springs third period showing was anything but good. The Indians were out-scored, 17-9, out-run, out-rebounded, and most important, out-played. Again in the fourth period, Palm Springs was out-scored, but still they managed to hold on and eke out a 55-57 win.

The Indian cagers were never behind, though the game was tied up several times. High score in this tight tilt was recorded by Charles Jordan, Palm Springs string bean center, who pushed in 24 to boost his output in the first three games of the season to 63. The Indians missed the shooting and defensive work of Sam Jones who was unable to see any action due to a foot injury. Taking over at his forward slot were Skip Martin and Larry Meek, both of whom proved to be adequate replacements.

THE PRELIMINARY GAME really supplied the surprise of the evening, as the Palm Springs B team knocked out of the undefeated ranks an Elisnore squad that was supposed to be one of the best in the league. The one-sided 80-44 score makes the game even more amazing.

Palm Springs ran over, around, and past this fast-breaking Elisnore team. The Papooses proved to be in wonderful shape as only six boys played all but the last minute of this fast moving game. Curtis Roberts took scoring honors with 20 points, nine of those coming on free throws. Also bucketing them was Eddie Tarr who pushed in 16. Roberts, Tarr, and Gary Waters also did most of the Palm Springs' rebounding.

ON TUESDAY NIGHT the Indians take on Beaumont in the local gym. Palm Springs fans hope that the game will be another run in the long ladder to the R. C. L. championship.

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Four Teams to Compete Here

Guy Campbell, operator of the Polo Grounds, announced today that Dr. Herring, of San Diego, a recently retired Naval officer, will be the third man on the Palm Springs team playing in round robin matches at the Polo Grounds today and tomorrow.

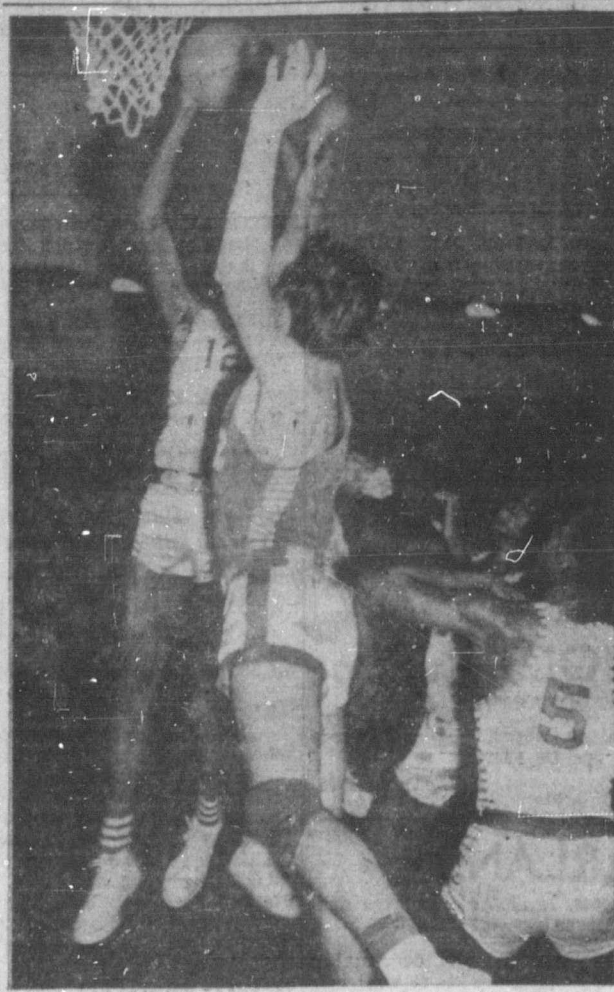
Other team members are Campbell, and Frank Bogert, president of the Palm Springs Polo Association.

Other teams are LaJolla, San Bernardino, and Beverly Hills. Campbell announced that play starts both days at 2 p.m., and that Wally Hultz, of the San Mateo-Burlingame Polo Association, will announce the play.

Weierhauser Resigns as Stanford Coach

STANFORD — Stanford University began looking for a new head track and field coach today to replace Jack Weierhauser, who resigned to enter business.

Weierhauser had been head coach at Stanford since 1946 and held the same position at Washington State College before World War II.



(John Simon Photo)

CHARLEY JORDAN, hidden by an Elisnore player, goes high for Palm Springs as he sinks a jump shot, despite efforts of Tiger center Josea Love. Mickey Pellum, number 5, waits for the rebound that never came. The Indians edged out Elisnore, 57-55, to go into a five way tie for first place with Hemet, San Jacinto, Beaumont and Coachella high schools.

SENIOR TOURNEY PLAN TO START ON TUESDAY

The January Tournament of the Desert Senior Golf Association will start Tuesday at O'Donnell Golf Course, and more than 30 foursomes of men older than 55 have been set to tee off, starting at 8 a.m.

The Senior Association was formed in late 1954, and played their first tournament in February, last year. The second Senior Tournament was played in November.

BEN F. SHEARER originated the plan, and he and J. E. "Dad" French, Dick Cochran, and Ralph Singer enlarged on the plan to extend golfing's season. The tournament's, which include Senior golfers from everywhere in the country, have grown in a year from a baby tournament to one of great import.

It follows a schedule that takes the Seniors from their first day at O'Donnell to Tamarisk, and then to Thunderbird Country Clubs. George Howard is host pro the first day. Ellsworth Vines the second.

Byrne Signs on Yankee Contract

By FRED DOWN
United Press Sports Writer

Tommy Byrne, who discovered a "new pitch"—the strike—at the age of 36, and 23-year-old Roger Craig signed 1956 contracts today as the champion New York Yankees and Brooklyn Dodgers stepped up their winter activities.

Byrne was the second Yankee to agree to terms while Craig and rookies Don Elston and Chuck Templeton, who also signed, increased the list of satisfied Dodgers to an even dozen.

In Detroit, meanwhile, pitcher Ned Garver strolled into the Tigers' offices and came to terms a few minutes after office personnel dug his contract out of a stack that had been prepared for the mails.

Byrne, one-time "wild man" of the American League, led the circuit in percentage with a 16-5 record last season and was one of the key players in the Yankees' pennant-winning campaign.

Byrne will be honored for the "comeback of the year" Sunday night by the Chicago chapter of the Baseball Writers' Association of America and on Monday night will be in Baltimore to be honored by the Baltimore Professional Baseball Players' Association.

Some 12 years ago Byrne joined the Yankees as a tremendous "stuff pitcher" but was too wild to win consistently. He hung on

Traffic Judge to Race in Feature

ARCADIA — It takes a traffic judge to handle speeders and Clifford Moores' four-year-old of that name was out today to catch the colts that ran away from him the last time they met.

The "jedge" headed a field of 11 four-year-olds to the post in the \$28,950 San Fernando Stakes at Santa Anita. But this time Traffic Judge has a little more running room, a mile and a sixteenth instead of seven furlongs.

Topeka Seeks Western League Franchise

TOPEKA, Kan. — A Topeka citizens' committee, headed by Phil Gibson, revealed today that it would have a check for \$10,001 available when it bids for a Class A Western League franchise next Sunday. Gibson also said he could guarantee that the committee could raise the \$50,000 necessary to acquire the franchise.

with the Yankees, drifted back to the minors and then returned last year—with the old speed and sharp-breaking curves gone but blessed, for the first time in his life, with control.

Byrne beat the Dodgers in the second game of the World Series but lost the decisive game to Johnny Podres' 2-0 shutout.

Favor Hogan in Pro-Am at Pebble Beach

Shares Lead After First Round Play in Crosby Event

By HENRY RIEGER
United Press Sports Writer
PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. — Ben Hogan, retired or not, was a good bet to take over the individual leadership today as some 230 sports and movie celebrities teed up for the second round of the annual Bing Crosby golfing circus.

When the firing was concluded at the end of the first 18 of the 54-hole two-pronged event, Bantam Ben already was sharing top spot in the pro-amateur division with a best ball round of 60.

His partner and the tourney's tab picker-upper was Der Bingle himself and they had a one stroke lead on a trio of teams tied for second.

AND THE BRONZED HOGAN, who claims that as of the moment he is "just a businessman golfer," was only three strokes off the pace in the professional medal play. Friday he shot a five-under par 67 over the rugged Cypress Point course, while the first round leader ex-Duke footballer Mike Souckach of Durham, N. C., fired a 64 over the shorter, easier Monterey Peninsula Country Club course.

Today Bantam Ben took on the Monterey course, while Souckach and first-day runner-up Mike Fitchick, Yonkers, N. Y., who had a 65, played narrow fairwayed Cypress Point.

OTHER FIRST ROUND low scorers included Dr. Cary Middlecoff, who like Hogan played Cypress Friday, with a 66 and eight others, including Ed Porky Oliver of Wilmington, Del., and Bo Winninger of Oklahoma City.

In all 46 of the more than 125 professionals cracked par — 72 on both courses. Only 17 of these managed to do it over rocky Cypress Point.

Among the non-par busters were Lloyd Mangrum, winner last Monday of the \$35,000 Los Angeles Open who Friday hit all but three of the greens, but who missed five putts of less than three feet; tempestuous Tommy Bolt and Lord Byron Nelson, who like Hogan came out of retirement at the behest of Crosby. Mangrum had a 75, Nelson a 74 and Bolt 73.

Duke, Notre Dame to Meet on Gridiron

DURHAM, N. C. — Duke University and Notre Dame have signed contracts to meet in football in 1958 and 1960. The first game will be played at South Bend Ind., October 18, 1958 and the second here on a date to be decided later, but during the 1960 season. It will mark the first football action between the two schools.

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SPORTS in the SUN

Dons Tie Record for Consecutive Basketball Wins

SAN FRANCISCO — The University of San Francisco Dons have joined two famous basketball teams of yesteryear by tying the all-time major college record of 39 consecutive victories — and it's unlikely that they'll stop there.

The national champions took an easy 69-50 win over Fresno State last night to match the record held by the 1937 Long Island University Lob and the 1942 Seton Hall quints.

However, the Dons reached the magic number in two seasons, while it required the other two clubs three.

Meanwhile, there was plenty of other basketball thrills in the far West. In Pacific Coast Conference play, Oregon edged California by one point, 63-62. Stanford, trampled Idaho, Southern Cal trimmed Oregon State, and UCLA trounced Washington State — despite a 34-point performance by a Cougar forward.

UCLA's Bruins completely mastered Washington State in winning 86-72, but forward Larry Beck dropped in 34 points to tie WSC's single game scoring record set in 1944 by Finck Hansen and tied in 1948 by Bobby Sheridan.

Russian Team Wins

BASLE, Switzerland — Russia's hockey team scored its third straight victory over Switzerland Friday when it downed the Swiss, 7-2. The Russians have outscored the Swiss, 20-7, in the three games.

College Football to Offer Same Bill of Fare in 1956

By HAL WOOD
United Press Sports Writer

LONG BEACH, Calif. — College football, enjoyed by more millions than ever before in 1955, will offer just about the same bill of fare in 1956.

The Rules Committee of the NCAA completed its annual session here Friday with changes so minute that the average fan barely will be able to notice the difference.

"We made fewer rule changes possibly than any time in history," said Fritz Crisler, University of Michigan athletic director and chairman of the Rules Committee.

"It appears that all the people love the rules the way they are."

POINTING OUT THAT attendance was up and there were no complaints on the way the game was played last year, Crisler listed these actions by the committee: The committee reverted to an old rule in making a tackle eligible to receive a pass if he was the

outside man on the accepted line of scrimmage.

On a kickoff, time will not be declared "in" until the receiver touches the ball. Previously it was called "in" the instant, the toe of the kicker touched the ball.

The rubber-covered ball was ruled legal and may be used for the full game by mutual agreement or by election of either team on offense.

When time is called for replacing torn jerseys this year the timeout will be charged against the team. Previously it was charged against the official and was slowing up the game.

IT WAS RULED ILLEGAL to help a quarterback on a sneak in any manner. Fullbacks in recent seasons have come bullying in from behind with a shoulder push.

The committee failed to take any action on the use of masks and referred this controversial issue to a sub-committee headed by Jack Curtice of Utah for another year's study.

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Desert Empire

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County Chamber Meeting Set for Tuesday

DESERT HOT SPRINGS — The January 17 meeting of the Riverside County Chamber of Commerce Association, the County Board of Trade and the county board of supervisors, will be held at Carr's Restaurant at noon. The executive committee meeting convenes at 11 a. m.

Frances Crocker will speak on "The Tremor, past, present and future" and will be introduced by Herb A. Ecclestone.

Desert Hot Springs Chamber of Commerce President Allan Horton will deliver the welcoming address and Mrs. Lucile Carnes, manager of Indio Chamber of Commerce, will extend invitations to all to attend the Riverside County Fair and Date Festival February 17 to 22.

Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

'PALM DESERT

By GRETCHEN CHEESEMAN

Dr. Marian Galloher, a resident physician of Los Angeles County Hospital, and her mother were weekend houseguests of Mrs. E. Reichert. Mrs. Galloher resides in Appleton, Wisconsin, and is spending a month in Los Angeles with her daughter.

The Palm Desert Community Church was the locale for the first meeting of "The Church Women." Mrs. Johns of Milwaukee, gave an excellent talk on the importance of a woman's organization within the church. Tea and punch were served later in the afternoon. Mrs. Robert Morrey was in charge of refreshments.

The "highspot" of "Coronation Night" last Monday was the choice of princesses and the crowning of the queen. These four ladies were all local desert residents: Mrs. Helen Sumpter of Palm Springs, queen; Mrs. Annabelle Goosen, Mrs. Ruby Moore, and Dr. Minnie Burdin, all of Palm Desert. The show next week will highlight two well-known artists. Bob Nash, who sang lead in "Oklahoma" and Miss Shirley Chambers, who lately appeared in "Carousel."

The Tri-Ds of Shadow Mountain Club will have a progressive dinner on Saturday from 3 to 6. They will "be four" courses served in four different homes. The younger who "hosts" a course must also provide entertainment!

"Fun and Sun" fashions by Cole of California will be shown at 2 p. m. Sunday, on the terrace and at poolside at Shadow Mountain

Club. These lovely models will be sponsored by the Clotheshorse and under the personal direction of Mrs. Isabelle Belyea.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wenner of Freeport, Illinois, and their two children have just arrived and will spend the season in the Sun Lodge Colony.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hays, Jr., of Minneapolis, are spending the Winter season here.

Other far-away folk seen at Shadow Mountain Terrace are Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reincke of Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. George Mangen, Jr. and Miss Agnes Miehler of Cincinnati, Ohio; and Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Davidson and sons from Sherman Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Fox are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dower for a month. They hail from Portland, where Mr. Fox is a plywood manufacturer.

Senator and Mrs. A. W. Hawkes of Upper Montclair, New Jersey, are spending a few weeks in the desert.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith of Winnipeg, Canada, and their daughter have taken a house here for the season. An older daughter living here is Mrs. Jim Harstad of the Adobe.

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1950 CHEVROLET Fleetline, automatic transmission. Radio, heater \$595.

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1949 DODGE 4 door Coronet Radio, heater, fluid drive \$395.

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1952 MERCURY Monterey Coupe, Mercomatic, radio, heater \$1595

1953 MERCURY CONVERTIBLE. Mercomatic, radio, heater. 19,000 mile car \$1495

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